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A Comparison of Weight and Weight Increments of Elementary-School Children in 1921-27 and in 1933-34¹

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This paper is the third in a series reporting the results of studies on secular variation, or changes from year to year, in the growth in weight of school children. In the first paper (1), based on annual measurements during 1921-27 of the body weight of some 2,500 children attending the elementary schools in Hagerstown, Md., it was shown that averages of the actual weight of children of given age and sex did not vary a statistically significant amount from year to year during the interval from 1921 through 1927. On the other hand, it was found that average annual *increments* of weight did vary significantly from year to year. The latter finding was construed as meaning that certain years are apparently good while others are poor "growing years." The second paper (2), utilizing records of weight of elementary-school children in the same city in 1933, was concerned primarily with possible secular changes in the actual weight of children which may have occurred concomitantly with the recent economic depression. Among other things, it was shown (a) that averages of weight of children from 6 to 11 years of age did not differ significantly in 1933 from similar averages based on weights recorded during 1921

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No. 1. Palmer, C. E.: (1933) Seasonal variation of average growth in weight of elementary-school children. Pub. Health Rep., vol. 48, pp. 211-233. Reprint No. 1561.

No. 2. ———: (1933) Variation of growth in weight of elementary-school children 1921-1928. Pub. Health Rep., vol. 48, pp. 993-1005. Reprint No. 1591.

No. 3. ———: (1933) Growth and the economic depression. A study of the weight of elementary-school children in 1921-27 and in 1933. Pub. Health Rep., vol. 48, pp. 1277-1292. Reprint No. 1599.

No. 4. ———: (1934) Age changes in the physical resemblance of siblings. Child Development, vol. 5, no. 4.

No. 5. ——— and Reed, L. J.: Anthropometric studies of individual growth. I. Age, height, and rate of growth in height, elementary-school children. Human Biology. (In press.)

through 1927; (b) that the variability in weight was substantially the same in 1933 as in the earlier period, with the probable exception of a slight increase in the proportion of younger girls found to be 12 or more percent below average weight; and (c) that, in spite of the marked changes which have occurred recently in the economic stratification of the population, approximately the same difference in the weight of children from the various economic classes was found to exist as is usually observed in studies of this kind.

The present paper, based on the earlier weight records supplemented by weighings recorded in 1934, has for its aim the extension of the findings previously reported. By means of the data collected, it is possible to compare both actual weight and annual gains in weight of children attending the elementary schools in Hagerstown in 1933-34 with similar data for Hagerstown children for the separate years during 1921-27. In addition to studies on the secular variations in growth in weight, the data collected permit the investigation of the differences in weight and weight increments in 1933 and 1934 for children from families in different economic classes.

MATERIAL AND METHODS

Details concerning the material collected in 1921-27 and in 1933 are given fully in the earlier papers. It will suffice here, therefore, to review briefly the source and character of those data and to indicate the nature of the new material.

Thus, as part of an extensive study of the growth of children undertaken by the United States Public Health Service during 1921-27 in Hagerstown, Md., nearly continuous seriatim annual measurements of weight were recorded for approximately 2,500 white children attending the elementary schools. Practically all of the measurements recorded during this period were made by the same person, a competent field worker from the Office of Child Hygiene. Weights were recorded to the nearest quarter pound on carefully calibrated beam scales. The children were weighed in their regular indoor clothing except for shoes, coats, sweaters, and vests. The individuals measured comprised a large proportion of the white elementary-school population each year, but the group studied included only those who were weighed for four or more consecutive years.

Data collected in May 1933 consist of records of weight for practically all of the white children attending the elementary schools of the city. The same procedure for obtaining the records was employed as was used during the 1921-27 investigation. The children were weighed in their usual indoor clothes as previously, on the same beam scales, recalibrated. All of the measurements were made by one person, the present writer. In addition to the records of weight,

information was obtained as to whether or not the child's family was receiving either direct or indirect aid from the welfare society and, as well, whether or not the principal wage earner or earners in the family had full-time or only part-time employment.

The records collected in May 1934, one year from the date of the 1933 investigation, were in all essential details similar to those for 1933. Again, weights were recorded, by trained field workers, for practically all white children attending the elementary schools, and each child was questioned as to the employment of wage earners in his family and information was obtained from the city welfare society as to whether or not aid was being extended to the child's family.

The same method of analysis was used throughout these investigations. Averages and variability constants were calculated for weights and annual gains in weight of children classified into sex- and age-specific groups. Distributions of annual increments were made by calculating the differences between the child's weight in May and his weight the following May. While the interval between successive weighings was not always precisely 1 year, the number of days between weighings did not fall below 355 nor exceed 375 days. Such differences are of slight practical importance, since it has been shown (3) that the average growth in weight of children during the spring months, particularly during May, is very low, in most instances not exceeding 0.1 pound per child per month.

For the distribution of actual weights in 1934 only those children who had been weighed in 1933 were included. Thus, in May 1933, 1,269 girls and 1,245 boys between the ages of 6 and 11 were weighed, and of these children 986 girls and 978 boys were again weighed in May 1934. In making the distributions of weight, age was classified as of the birthday nearest January 1 of the year of measurement. Children classified as of a certain age in 1933 were noted as 1 year older in 1934, thus making the age range for children in 1934 from 7 to 12 years, inclusive. For the distribution of annual increments, age was classified as of the birthday nearest January 1. Thus children designated as 7 years of age for the distribution of May 1933 to May 1934 increments were those whose seventh birthday fell between July 1, 1933, and July 1, 1934.

COMPARISONS OF ACTUAL WEIGHTS IN 1921-27, IN 1933, AND IN 1934

Data necessary for these comparisons are given in table 1 and in figures 1, 2, and 3. The table shows, separately for boys and girls in yearly age classes, the mean weights, the standard deviations of weight, and the proportions of children that were 12 or more percent below the average weight of children in 1921-27. These data are given for measurements made during 1921 through 1927 and for those made in 1933 and in 1934. In the three figures are recorded

graphically the three variables, respectively, the means, the standard deviations, and the proportion of children underweight.

TABLE 1.—Mean weights, standard deviations of weight, number of children, and percentage of children 12 percent or more below mean weight of children in 1921-27, for children weighed in 1921-27, 1933, and 1934. (White elementary-school children, Hagerstown, Md.)

| Age | Mean weight (pounds) | | | Standard deviation (pounds) | | | Number of children | | | Percentage of children, 12 percent or more below mean weight of children in 1921-27 | | |
|--------------|----------------------|----------|----------|-----------------------------|----------|----------|--------------------|----------|----------|---|----------|----------|
| | May 1921-27 | May 1933 | May 1934 | May 1921-27 | May 1933 | May 1934 | May 1921-27 | May 1933 | May 1934 | May 1921-27 | May 1933 | May 1934 |
| Boys | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 6 | 46.83 | 46.23 | | 5.32 | 5.29 | | 238 | 121 | | 14.5 | 17.4 | |
| 7 | 50.63 | 49.73 | 51.04 | 6.44 | 5.70 | 5.86 | 596 | 200 | 102 | 16.0 | 18.0 | 14.7 |
| 8 | 55.97 | 55.65 | 54.24 | 7.38 | 7.58 | 5.99 | 830 | 240 | 157 | 16.9 | 17.9 | 19.7 |
| 9 | 61.57 | 60.66 | 60.67 | 8.71 | 7.96 | 8.63 | 967 | 231 | 200 | 18.5 | 18.2 | 22.0 |
| 10 | 67.23 | 67.98 | 66.02 | 10.53 | 10.78 | 9.08 | 922 | 234 | 157 | 20.8 | 18.8 | 19.3 |
| 11 | 73.91 | 74.05 | 74.29 | 12.36 | 10.90 | 13.20 | 868 | 219 | 198 | 22.7 | 19.6 | 24.2 |
| Girls | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 6 | 45.78 | 44.91 | | 5.24 | 5.95 | | 237 | 114 | | 11.6 | 23.6 | |
| 7 | 49.11 | 49.19 | 49.82 | 6.26 | 7.17 | 8.99 | 573 | 205 | 92 | 13.6 | 17.1 | 19.6 |
| 8 | 54.18 | 54.39 | 54.10 | 7.51 | 9.76 | 8.62 | 811 | 241 | 164 | 15.6 | 22.0 | 20.1 |
| 9 | 59.50 | 58.38 | 59.67 | 9.25 | 10.74 | 12.19 | 921 | 236 | 203 | 19.0 | 23.7 | 26.6 |
| 10 | 66.07 | 66.20 | 64.31 | 11.50 | 11.30 | 12.81 | 925 | 223 | 204 | 23.0 | 21.5 | 29.4 |
| 11 | 74.10 | 74.80 | 74.32 | 14.29 | 15.21 | 14.51 | 798 | 240 | 192 | 27.9 | 27.9 | 29.2 |

Considering first the means, figure 1, it is plain that there are no clear-cut consistent differences between the lines for the three different time periods and that the time differences for the separate age-sex classes are in most cases very small and obviously statistically insignificant. For girls, the irregularities of the differences for the separate time periods are so great that no particular significance can be attached even to an occasional large fluctuation—such, for example, as the difference of 1.24 pounds between the mean of 10-year-old girls in 1921-27 and the mean of 10-year-old girls in 1933.

For boys, the differences are not so clearly irregular. In 1933 the means for 6-, 7-, 8-, and 9-year olds are less than in 1921-27, and in 1934 the means for 8-, 9-, and 10-year olds are less than those for both the 1921-27 and 1933 periods. Considering the differences of the means for the age classes separately, it was found, however, that the only statistically significant difference between the 1921-27 and 1934 means was for 8-year-old boys. A mathematical test² for the statistical significance of the whole series of differences between the 1933 and 1921-27 averages shows that these two series of means are not significantly different. A similar test of the significance of the

² See reference (4).

differences between the 1934 and 1921-27 series of averages shows that the whole series of observed differences would occur only 5 in

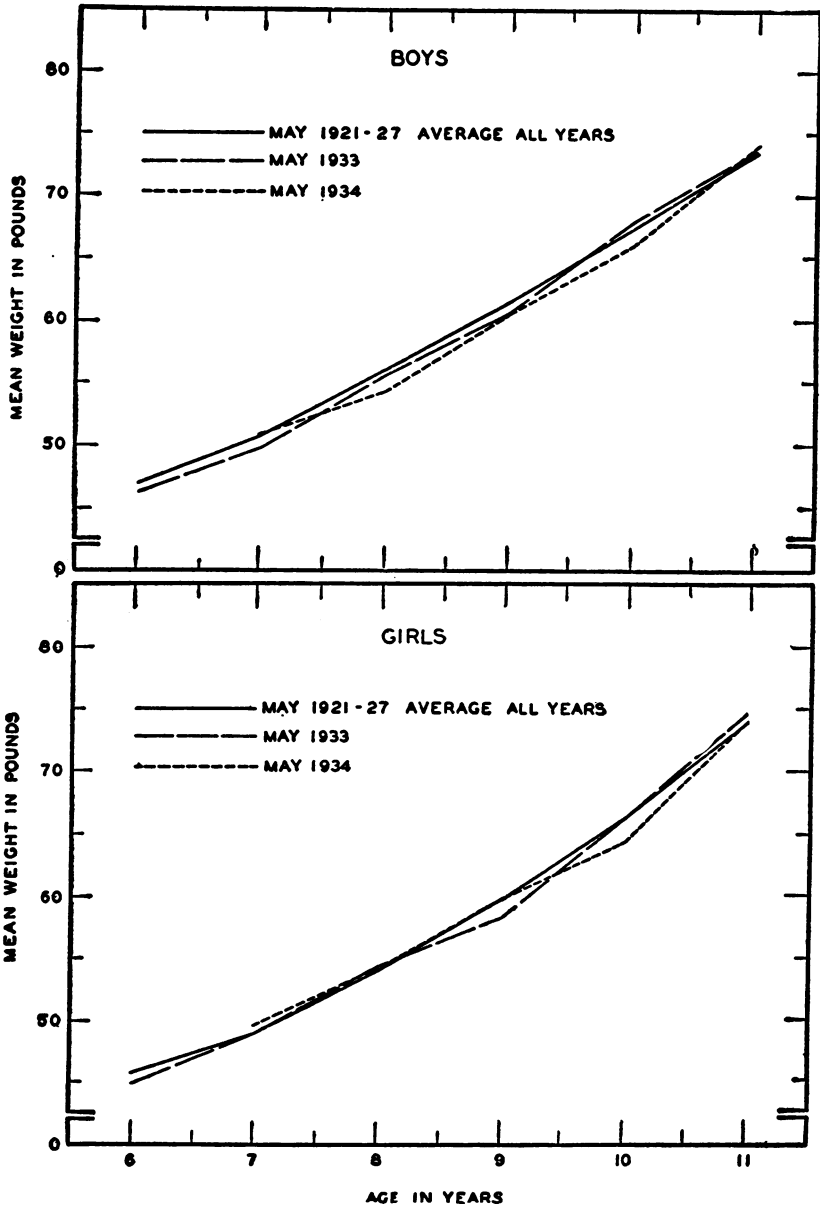


FIGURE 1.—Mean weight of elementary-school children in 1921-27 (average of all years), in 1933, and in 1934. (Age at birthday nearest January 1 of school year.)

100 times by chance alone. It is apparent, therefore, that the weights of boys between 7 and 11 years of age in Hagerstown in 1934 may be slightly less than those for boys of the same age in the same city

during the interval between 1921 and 1927. However, because the significance of the difference between the 1921-27 and 1934 series is

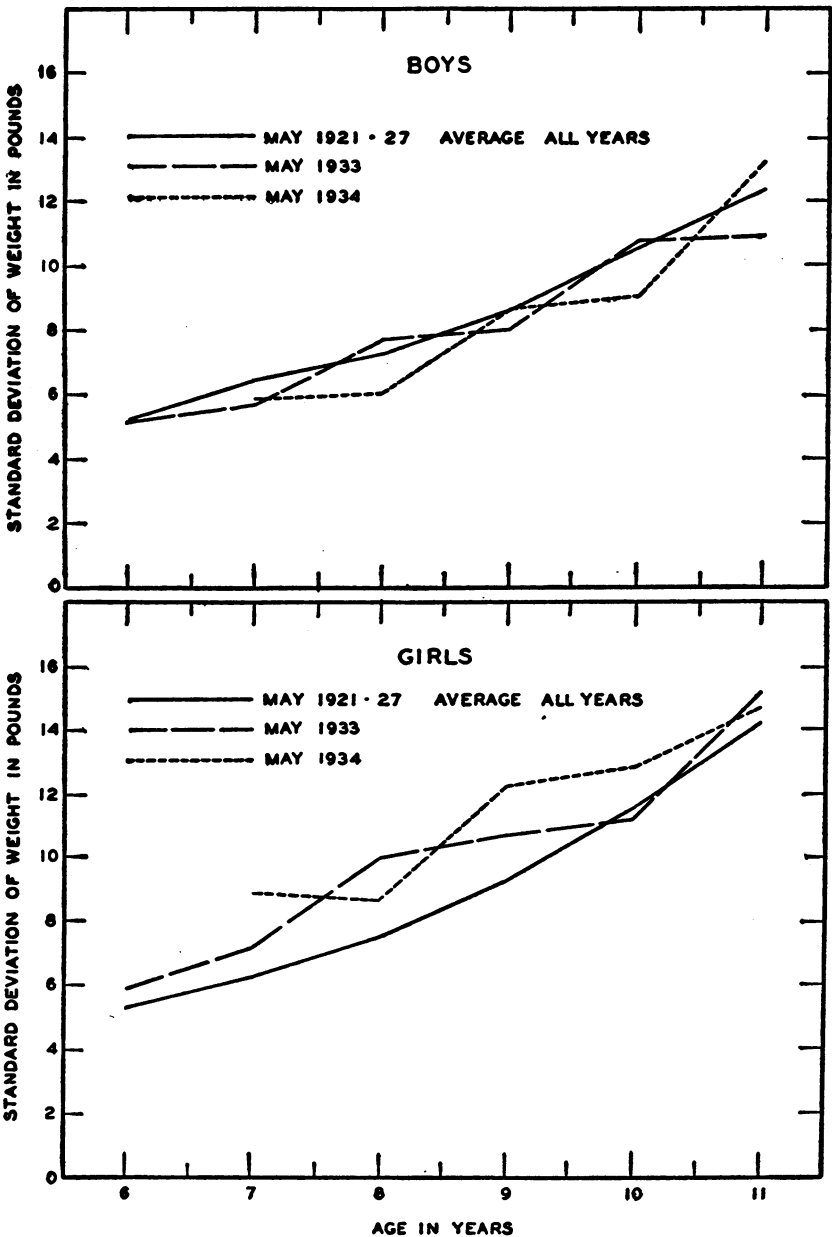


FIGURE 2.—Standard deviations of weight of elementary-school children in 1921-27 (average of all years), in 1933, and in 1934. (Age at birthday nearest January 1 of school year.)

due primarily to the large difference between the means of 8-year-old boys, no great importance can be attached to the findings.

. In figure 2 are shown the standard deviations of the weights of children for the three time periods. Study of these data indicates, so far as boys are concerned, that there are no significant differences in the variability of weight in the three periods. Comparison of the standard deviations for girls, however, shows that this measure of variation tends to be greater both in 1933 and in 1934 than in 1921-27. Thus at each age level the standard deviations in 1934 are larger than those calculated in 1921-27, and in 1933 the standard deviations are larger for the 6-, 7-, 8-, and 9-year-old girls. This finding is fairly suggestive, therefore, that the past few years of the economic disturbance has been associated with an increase in the variability of body weight of girls. In this connection it must be remembered, however, that all of the individuals weighed in 1934 were among those weighed in 1933 and, except for possible selection factors, characteristics noted in 1933 would tend to be present in 1934. Thus the variability of measurements in 1934 is probably correlated with the variability in 1933, and the findings for the 2 years cannot be considered independent observations.

As a further study of the changes in the weights of children during the past decade, the percentage of children 12 percent or more below averages of weight in 1921-27 were calculated, and are shown graphically in figure 3. It is clear, from these data, that there are no consistent changes for either 1933 or 1934 in the proportion of boys below the standard of weight recorded for the 1921-27 period. For the girls, however, it is plain that a somewhat larger proportion was underweight in both 1933 and 1934 than was found in the earlier period. In order to view these results in a slightly different manner, the actual number of children observed in the underweight classes in 1933 and in 1934 were compared with the number that would have been observed had the same proportions been underweight as were underweight in the 1921-27 period. According to these calculations the actual and theoretical numbers of underweight children are as follows:

| | <i>Boys</i> | <i>Girls</i> |
|--|-------------|--------------|
| Observed number underweight in 1933..... | 229 | 288 |
| Theoretical number underweight in 1933..... | 233 | 247 |
| | <hr/> | <hr/> |
| Difference (observed minus theoretical)..... | -4 | 41 |
| | <hr/> | <hr/> |
| Observed number underweight in 1934..... | 174 | 221 |
| Theoretical number underweight in 1934..... | 164 | 177 |
| | <hr/> | <hr/> |
| Difference (observed minus theoretical)..... | 10 | 44 |

The differences both in 1933 and in 1934 between the observed and expected numbers of underweight boys are small and not statistically significant, indicating that there has been no definite increase in this measure of lowered body weight in boys which has been asso-

ciated with the depression. The observed number of underweight girls, however, is greater by 41 in 1933 and by 44 in 1934 than would have been found had the same proportion been underweight as was found in 1921-27. These increases, while not striking, are statistically significant, and it may be concluded that there has been a definite

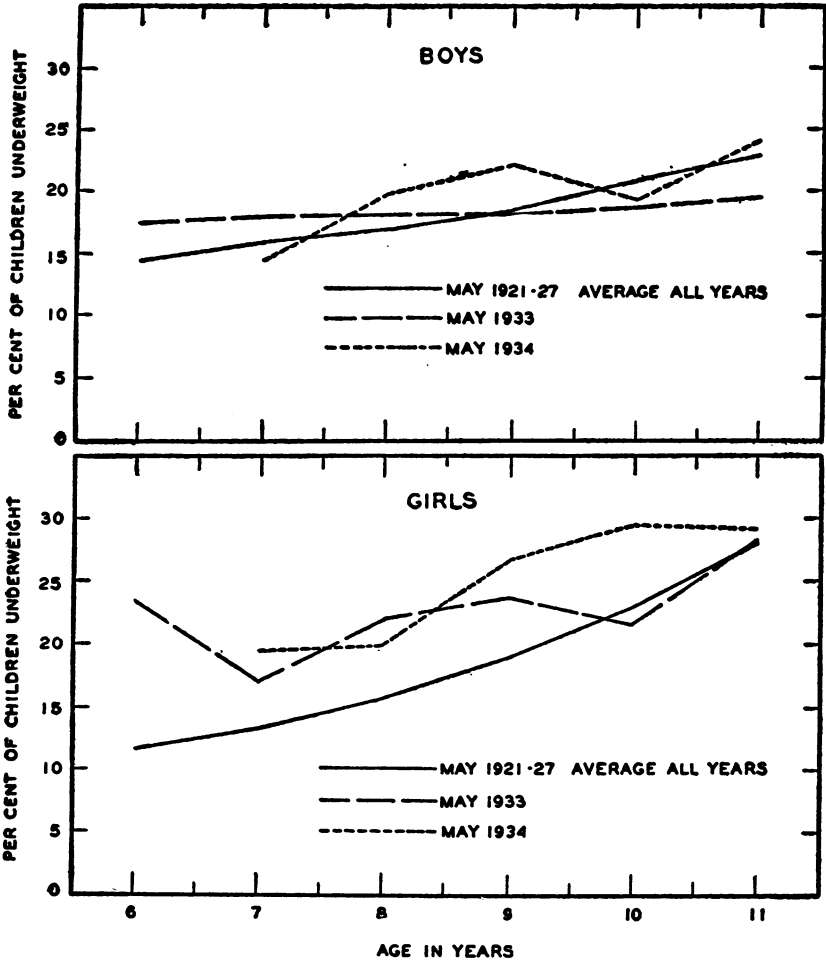


FIGURE 3.—Percentages of elementary-school children weighed in 1921-27, in 1933, and in 1934 that were 12 percent or more below the average weight of children of the same age and sex in 1921-27. (Age at birthday nearest January 1 of school year.)

increase in the relative number of underweight girls during the past few years. Again it must be recalled that the children measured in 1934 are among those measured in 1933 and that the number found underweight in 1934 is correlated, at least to some extent, with the number underweight in 1933.

TABLE 2.—Means, standard deviations, and number of children for distributions of annual (May-to-May) gains in weight, all years combined for 1921-27 and for 1933-34. (White-elementary school children, Hagerstown, Md.)

| Age | Mean annual gain in weight (pounds) | | Standard deviation of annual gains (pounds) | | Number of children | |
|---------|-------------------------------------|---------|---|---------|--------------------|---------|
| | 1921-27 | 1933-34 | 1921-27 | 1933-34 | 1921-27 | 1933-34 |
| Boys | | | | | | |
| 7..... | 4.75 | 4.59 | 1.70 | 2.48 | 259 | 102 |
| 8..... | 5.87 | 4.86 | 1.99 | 2.51 | 667 | 157 |
| 9..... | 5.81 | 5.22 | 2.33 | 2.90 | 867 | 200 |
| 10..... | 6.13 | 5.38 | 2.67 | 3.21 | 891 | 187 |
| 11..... | 6.80 | 6.27 | 3.24 | 4.01 | 795 | 198 |
| 12..... | 7.87 | 7.41 | 4.24 | 4.18 | 621 | 128 |
| Girls | | | | | | |
| 7..... | 4.76 | 4.23 | 2.26 | 2.70 | 266 | 92 |
| 8..... | 5.12 | 4.84 | 2.18 | 2.40 | 639 | 164 |
| 9..... | 5.78 | 5.33 | 2.85 | 3.46 | 805 | 203 |
| 10..... | 6.78 | 5.93 | 3.41 | 3.64 | 819 | 204 |
| 11..... | 8.52 | 7.70 | 4.39 | 4.61 | 735 | 192 |
| 12..... | 10.79 | 10.60 | 5.00 | 5.37 | 573 | 131 |

COMPARISON OF ANNUAL GAINS IN WEIGHT IN 1933-34 WITH THOSE IN 1921-27

Table 2 and figure 4 give data for the comparison of the annual gains in weight based on May-to-May weighings, for the years 1921 through 1927 taken altogether, with those for 1933-34. It will be noted that for each age-sex class the average annual increment is less for the year 1933-34 than the average for the earlier period. The differences between the averages range from 0.2 to 0.8 pound and are approximately the same for both sexes. A summary estimate of the total reduction of growth in weight in 1933-34, calculated as the weighted average of the ratio $\frac{\text{Average annual gain in weight, 1933-34}}{\text{Average annual gain in weight, 1921-27}}$ for the several age-sex groups, shows that growth in weight was only 91.3 percent as great in the later as in the earlier years. This finding alone would indicate that growth in weight was very much reduced during the past year. However, this reduction in annual gains can be evaluated completely only in the light of the secular variations in growth in weight. Data for such an evaluation are given in the paper (1) referred to above which shows, for Hagerstown elementary-school children, the fluctuations in annual increments each year during the period 1921 through 1927. According to the analysis given there, it is shown that a marked fluctuation in annual gains occurs in different calendar years. For example, the ratio of annual gain in 1924-25 was only 91.5 percent of the standard based on the entire 1921-27 period, while the ratio for 1926-27 was 105.5 percent of the same standard.

Thus, while growth during 1933-34 is much less than the average of the earlier years, it is not significantly less than the annual gains for the year 1924-25. It becomes necessary to conclude, then, that the school year 1933-34 was as good a "growing year", despite the depression,

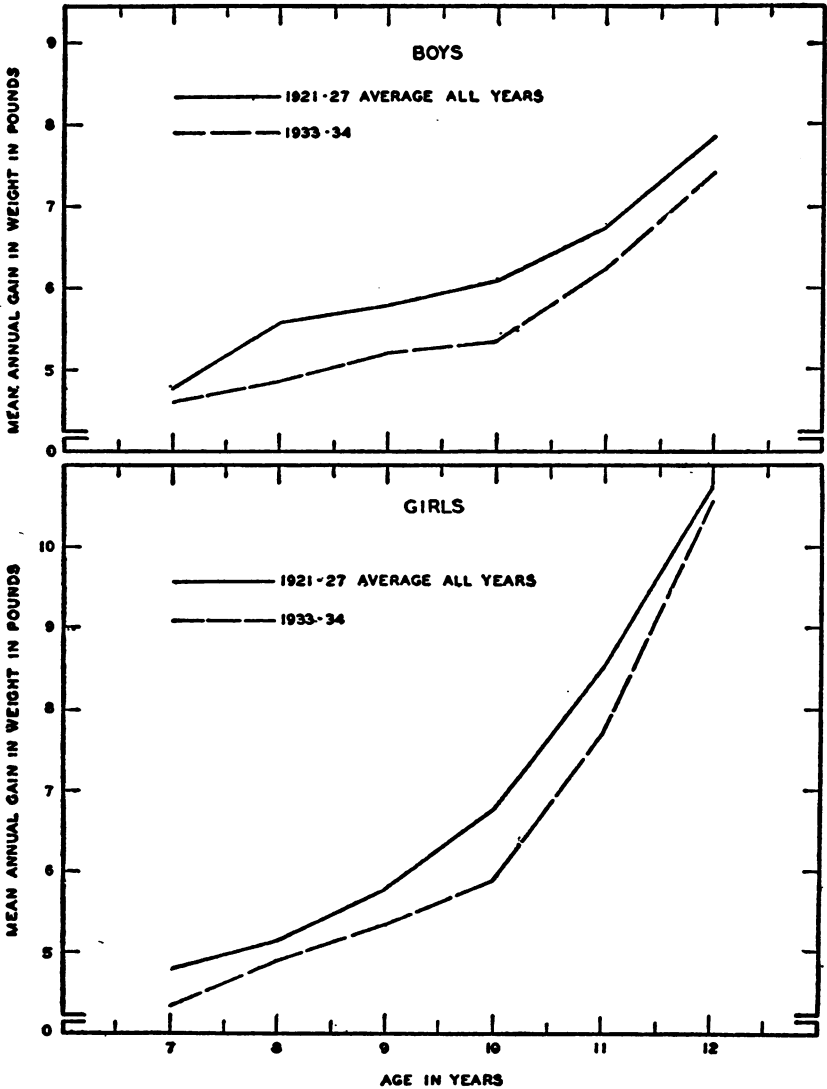


FIGURE 4.—Mean annual gain in weight of elementary-school children in 1921-27 (average of all years), and in 1933-34. (Age at birthday nearest January 1 of school year.)

as at least one other year when the general economic status of the population was presumably much higher. On the other hand, since the many factors which may be effective in making some years good and others poor "growing years" are not known, it is impossible to state conclusively that the depression has not affected adversely the

growth in weight of children. It is quite conceivable, for example, that the year 1924-25 appears as a poor "growing year" because of the influence of several factors which are adverse to growth, while in the year 1933-34 these factors did not operate, but the decrease in growth was brought about by other factors directly attributable to the economic depression. However, the results of this study of annual increments, together with observation that the *actual* weights of the children in Hagerstown have not materially decreased during the past decade, make it seem reasonable to conclude that there is no clear-cut evidence that the recent economic depression has affected markedly the growth in weight of this representative sample of school children.

TABLE 3.—Mean weights and number of children in 1933 and 1934 whose families were receiving or were not receiving aid from the welfare society. (White elementary-school children, Hagerstown, Md.)

| Age | Mean weight | | | | Number of children | | | |
|---------|-------------|--------------------|-------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|-------------|--------------------|
| | 1933 | | 1934 | | 1933 | | 1934 | |
| | Receive aid | Do not receive aid | Receive aid | Do not receive aid | Receive aid | Do not receive aid | Receive aid | Do not receive aid |
| Boys | | | | | | | | |
| 7..... | 47.56 | 50.89 | 47.21 | 51.65 | 70 | 130 | 14 | 88 |
| 8..... | 52.60 | 56.34 | 51.50 | 54.94 | 44 | 196 | 32 | 125 |
| 9..... | 57.96 | 61.63 | 57.17 | 61.15 | 61 | 170 | 24 | 176 |
| 10..... | 63.24 | 69.23 | 61.81 | 66.70 | 49 | 185 | 26 | 161 |
| 11..... | 69.71 | 75.27 | 67.58 | 75.30 | 48 | 171 | 26 | 172 |
| Girls | | | | | | | | |
| 7..... | 47.35 | 49.80 | 48.40 | 49.99 | 51 | 154 | 10 | 82 |
| 8..... | 52.64 | 55.07 | 52.30 | 54.39 | 67 | 174 | 23 | 141 |
| 9..... | 55.37 | 59.53 | 56.95 | 59.98 | 65 | 171 | 21 | 182 |
| 10..... | 63.25 | 67.09 | 58.14 | 65.34 | 54 | 179 | 29 | 175 |
| 11..... | 67.80 | 76.64 | 69.15 | 74.92 | 50 | 190 | 20 | 172 |

COMPARISON OF WEIGHT AND ANNUAL GAINS IN WEIGHT OF CHILDREN
FROM DIFFERENT ECONOMIC CLASSES

Table 3 and figure 5 give data for comparing the actual weights of children whose families did and did not receive aid from the city welfare society in 1933 and in 1934. It will be noted that the averages are from 2 to 9 pounds less for children from families that were assisted by welfare funds and, also, that the differences between the two groups are approximately the same in both years. In general, these differences are statistically significant; and it may be concluded that, so far as weight is concerned, children from families that receive welfare help comprise a group of low-weight individuals.

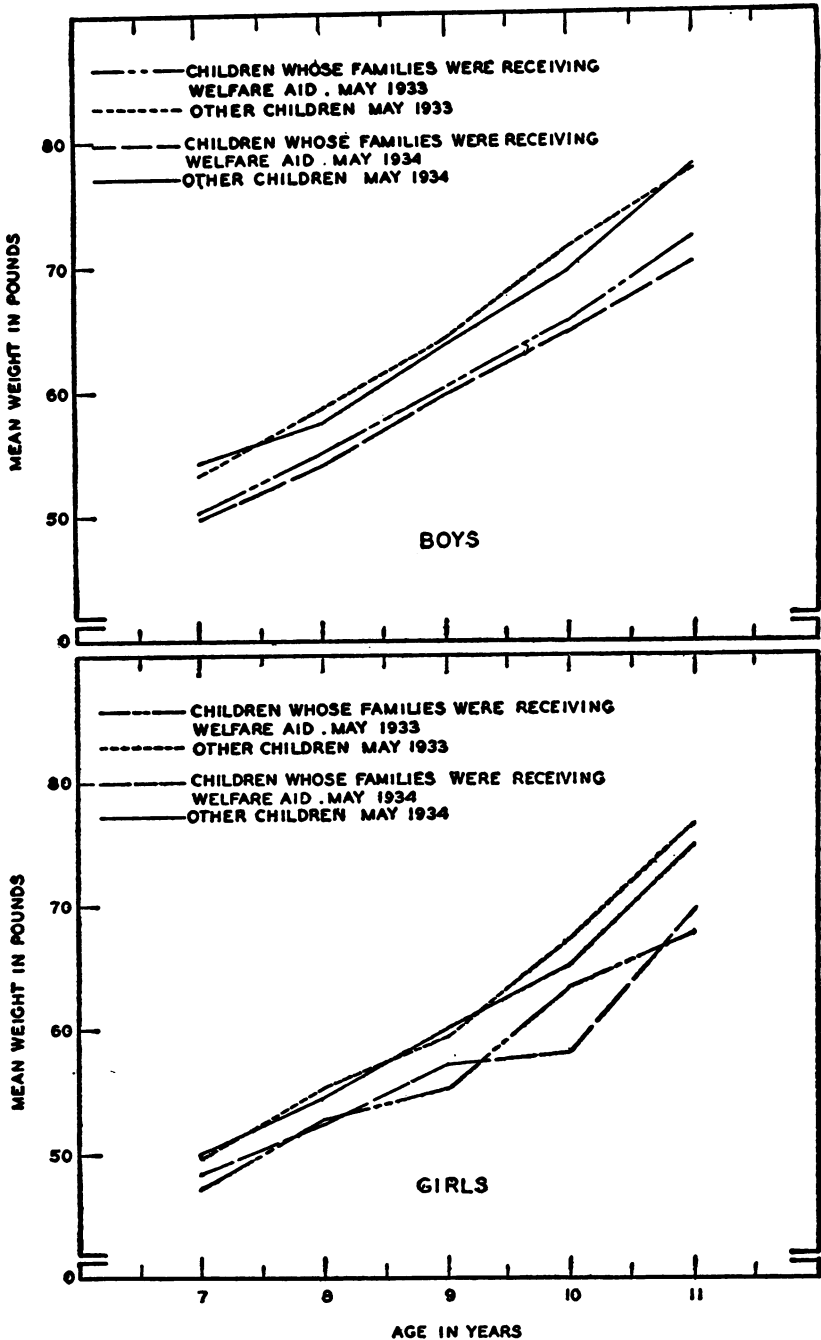


FIGURE 5.—Mean weight of elementary-school children in 1933 and 1934, classified according to whether or not the child's family received aid from the welfare society. (Age at birthday nearest January 1 of school year.)

Tables 4 and 5 and figures 6 and 7 present data for the comparison of weight *increments* of children from families grouped according to two classifications of economic status in 1934. Figure 6 shows the

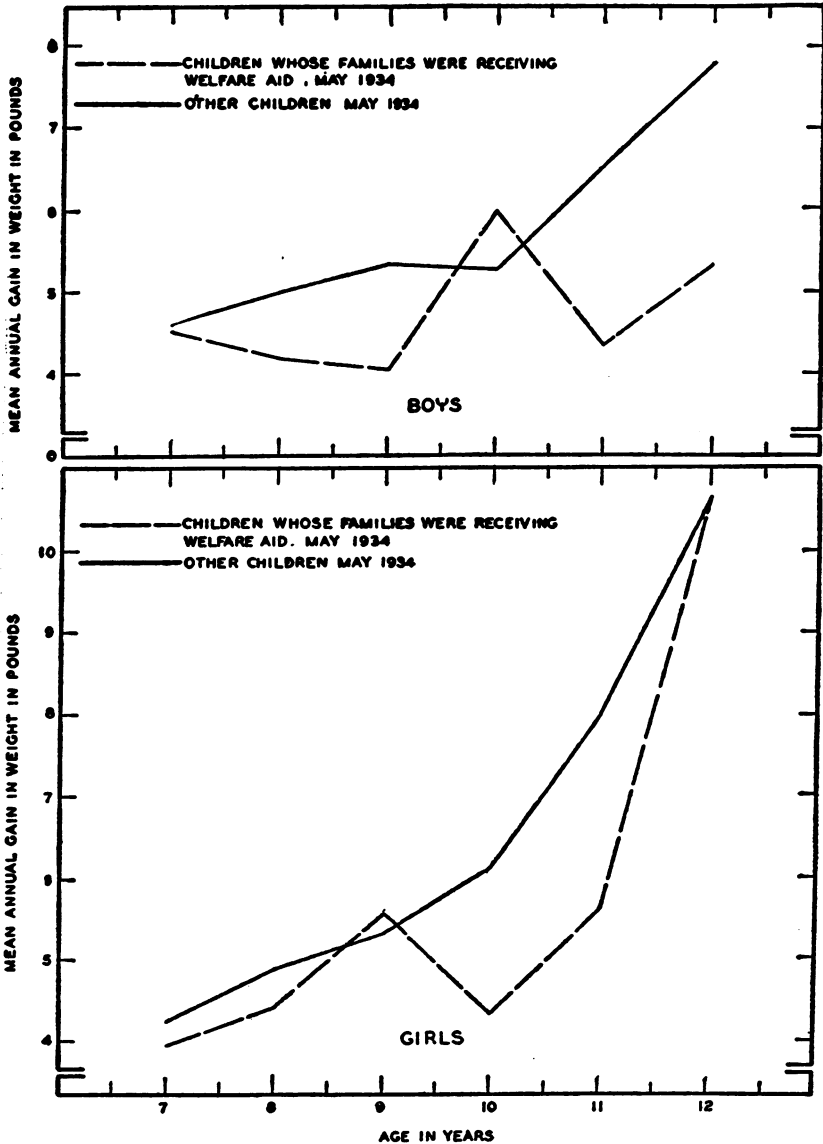


FIGURE 6.—Mean annual gain in weight of elementary-school children in 1933-34, classified according to whether or not the child's family received aid from the welfare society. (Age at birthday nearest January 1, 1934.)

average annual gains in weight for children whose families did and did not receive aid from the Hagerstown Welfare Society. The lines representing children whose families were receiving aid show marked irregularities, due probably to the small numbers of cases; with the

exception of 10-year-old boys and 9-year-old girls, however, the gains made by children of these families are less than those of children whose families did not receive assistance. This finding, taken together

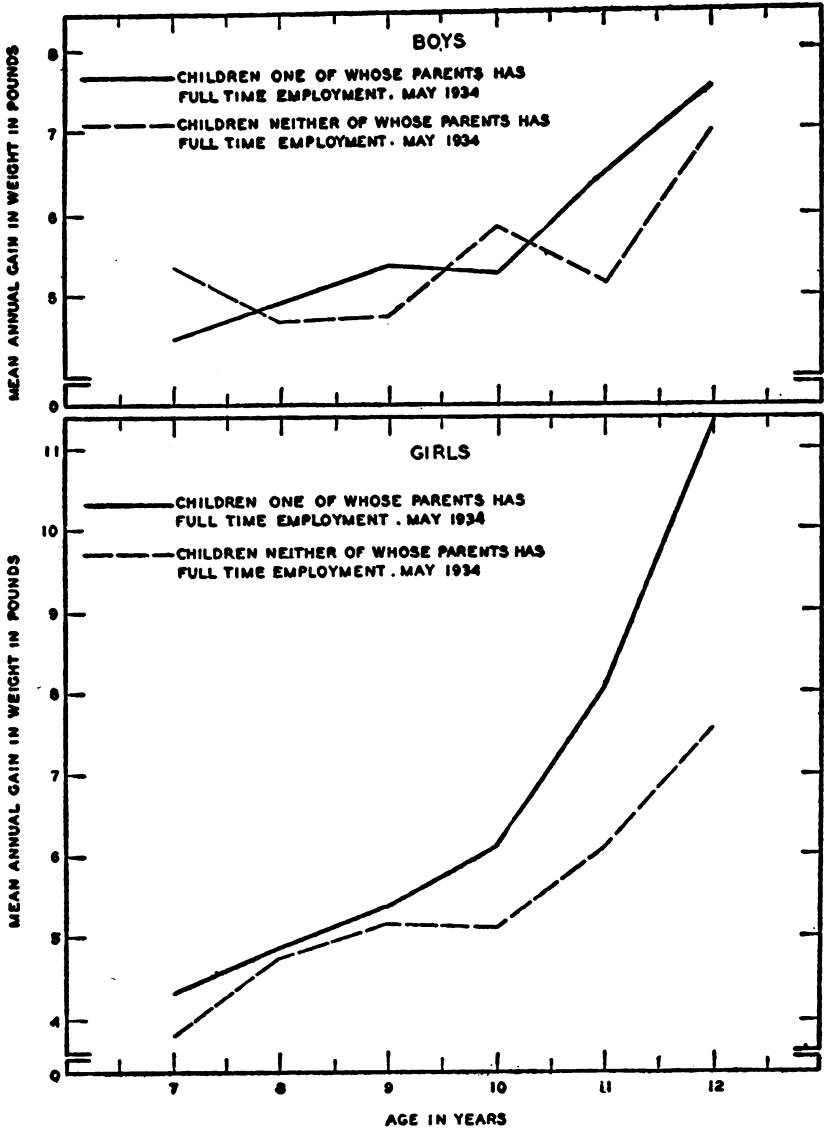


FIGURE 7.—Mean annual gain in weight of elementary-school children in 1933-34, classified according to employment of parents. (Age at birthday nearest January 1, 1934.)

with the observation noted above that these children actually weigh less, further emphasizes the fact that children from welfare families form a group of individuals who are both lighter in weight and who make lower gains in weight than children in the population as a whole;

and, while it cannot be inferred that larger expenditures of welfare funds would bring the averages of the former group up to the level of children in general, it is probably true that those children who are being helped are those who are most in need of it.

TABLE 4.—Means, standard deviations, and number of children, for distributions of annual (May 1933–May 1934) gains in weight of children whose families were receiving or were not receiving aid from the welfare society. (White elementary-school children, Hagerstown, Md.)

| Age | Mean annual gain (pounds) | | Standard deviations (pounds) | | Number of children | |
|---------|---------------------------|--------------------|------------------------------|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| | Receive aid | Do not receive aid | Receive aid | Do not receive aid | Receive aid | Do not receive aid |
| Boys | | | | | | |
| 7..... | 4.52 | 4.60 | 3.06 | 2.38 | 14 | 88 |
| 8..... | 4.18 | 5.03 | 2.19 | 2.56 | 32 | 125 |
| 9..... | 4.04 | 5.38 | 1.43 | 3.01 | 24 | 176 |
| 10..... | 5.97 | 5.28 | 5.25 | 2.74 | 26 | 161 |
| 11..... | 4.36 | 6.55 | 2.67 | 4.11 | 26 | 172 |
| 12..... | 5.36 | 7.81 | 3.45 | 4.19 | 21 | 107 |
| Girls | | | | | | |
| 7..... | 3.95 | 4.27 | 1.56 | 2.80 | 10 | 82 |
| 8..... | 4.41 | 4.91 | 1.61 | 2.50 | 23 | 141 |
| 9..... | 5.54 | 5.31 | 2.13 | 3.57 | 21 | 182 |
| 10..... | 4.34 | 6.19 | 2.51 | 3.74 | 29 | 175 |
| 11..... | 5.63 | 7.94 | 2.91 | 4.71 | 20 | 172 |
| 12..... | 10.54 | 10.61 | 4.65 | 5.50 | 20 | 111 |

TABLE 5.—Means, standard deviations, and number of children, for distributions of annual (May 1933–May 1934) gains in weight, children one of whose parents was employed full time and children neither of whose parents was employed full time. (White elementary-school children, Hagerstown, Md.)

| Age | Mean annual gain (pounds) | | Standard deviation of gains (pounds) | | Number of children | |
|---------|---------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------|--------------------------|
| | Full-time employment | Not full-time employment | Full-time employment | Not full-time employment | Full-time employment | Not full-time employment |
| Boys | | | | | | |
| 7..... | 4.51 | 5.35 | 2.25 | 3.89 | 92 | 10 |
| 8..... | 4.89 | 4.67 | 2.62 | 1.79 | 133 | 24 |
| 9..... | 5.33 | 4.71 | 3.09 | 1.74 | 164 | 36 |
| 10..... | 5.27 | 5.75 | 2.85 | 4.26 | 146 | 41 |
| 11..... | 6.42 | 5.15 | 4.18 | 2.22 | 174 | 24 |
| Girls | | | | | | |
| 7..... | 4.29 | 3.78 | 2.80 | 1.49 | 82 | 10 |
| 8..... | 4.86 | 4.78 | 2.50 | 1.98 | 128 | 36 |
| 9..... | 5.36 | 5.20 | 3.67 | 2.29 | 166 | 37 |
| 10..... | 6.11 | 5.13 | 3.82 | 2.64 | 166 | 38 |
| 11..... | 8.09 | 6.10 | 4.76 | 3.54 | 154 | 38 |

When the children measured in 1933-34 are classified as to whether the principal wage earners in their families have full-time or only part-time employment (table 5 and figure 7), it is found that the averages of children from families having at least one full-time wage earner are greater than averages of children from families in which no wage earner had regular employment. These results are based, obviously, on a very small number of observations and the differences, especially for boys, are not highly reliable. However, the differences are approximately the same as those usually found between higher and lower economic classes (5), and it seems reasonable to conclude that present economic conditions have tended neither to produce striking class differences nor to obliterate the differences previously observed.

SUMMARY

This paper is the third in a series dealing with secular variation in the growth in weight of elementary-school children in a typical small city, Hagerstown, Md. In the first paper it was shown that averages of actual weight did not, while averages of weight increments did, vary significantly from year to year during the period 1921 through 1927. In the second paper it was shown that the actual weights of children in the same city were not, after several years of severe economic depression, materially decreased in 1933. In the present paper, dealing with weights and weight increments of children in 1933 and 1934, the following results are brought forward:

1. Averages of weight of children in 1934 show no consistent or striking differences from averages of weight for the period 1921 through 1927.
2. The variability of body weight (measured by the standard deviation) is not, for boys, consistently different in 1933 and 1934 from that observed in the 1921-27 period. For girls, weight is more variable in both 1933 and 1934 than in the earlier period.
3. The proportion of boys 12 percent or more below average weight has not increased in 1933 or 1934, while the proportion of girls so designated is slightly greater, both in 1933 and in 1934, than that observed for the years 1921-27.
4. Average annual gains in weight are lower for the year 1933-34 than those calculated for the 1921-27 period. The average for the several age-sex groups, of the ratio

Average annual gains in weight, 1933-34

Average annual gains in weight, 1921-27

equals 91.5 percent. Comparing this ratio with similar average ratios for the separate years 1921-27 shows, however, that the relative gain for 1933-34 is not significantly lower than that recorded in 1924-25, a year in which general economic conditions

were presumably much better than in 1933-34. This finding, together with the fact that the actual weight of children has not decreased in the past decade, is taken as evidence that the recent economic depression has not materially affected the growth in weight of a representative sample of school children.

5. A supplementary study of the weights and weight increments of children from families in different levels of economic status in 1933 and 1934 shows that approximately the same differences are to be found as have been observed in times previous to the depression. From this it is concluded that there has been no obliteration or widening of class differences during the depression.

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EXTENT OF RURAL HEALTH SERVICE IN THE UNITED STATES, JANUARY 1, 1930-DECEMBER 31, 1933

According to data obtained by the United States Public Health Service from the health departments of the States, table 1 presents a list, by States, of counties, townships, or districts in which the rural sections thereof at the beginning of the calendar years 1930, 1931, and 1932, and on December 31, 1932 and 1933, respectively, were provided with health service under the administration of local whole-time health officers.

The list for the year ended December 31, 1933, includes, as it did at the close of the calendar year 1932, all counties, townships, or districts which are operating in units under the direction of local whole-time health officers maintained jointly by the pooling of local official appropriations. Also all counties, townships, or districts are included in which there are whole-time local health organizations maintained entirely by the State health departments.

TABLE 1.—List of counties, townships, or districts in which as of Jan. 1, 1930, 1931, and 1932, respectively, and Dec. 31, 1932 and 1933, respectively, rural sections were provided with health service under local whole-time health officers

ALABAMA

| Jan. 1, 1930 | Jan. 1, 1931 | Jan. 1, 1932 | Dec. 31, 1932 | Dec. 31, 1933 |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|
| Baldwin | Baldwin | Baldwin | Baldwin | Barbour |
| Barbour | Barbour | Barbour | Barbour | Blount |
| Blount | Blount | Blount | Blount | Bullock |
| Bullock | Bullock | Bullock | Bullock | Calhoun |
| Calhoun | Calhoun | Calhoun | Calhoun | Chambers |
| Chambers | Chambers | Chambers | Chambers | Cherokee |
| Cherokee | Cherokee | Cherokee | Cherokee | Cleburne |
| Choctaw | Choctaw | Choctaw | Choctaw | Conceh |
| Clarke | Clarke | Clarke | Clarke | Covington |
| Cleburne | Cleburne | Cleburne | Cleburne | Crenshaw |
| Coffee | Coffee | Coffee | Coffee | Cullman |
| Colbert | Colbert | Colbert | Colbert | Dale |
| Conceh | Conceh | Conceh | Conceh | Dallas |
| Covington | Covington | Covington | Covington | De Kalb |
| Crenshaw | Crenshaw | Crenshaw | Crenshaw | Elmore |
| Cullman | Cullman | Cullman | Cullman | Escambia |
| Dale | Dale | Dale | Dale | Etowah |
| Dallas | Dallas | Dallas | Dallas | Franklin |
| De Kalb | De Kalb | De Kalb | De Kalb | Geneva |
| Elmore | Elmore | Elmore | Elmore | Houston |
| Escambia | Escambia | Escambia | Escambia | Jackson |
| Etowah | Etowah | Etowah | Etowah | Jefferson |
| Franklin | Franklin | Franklin | Franklin | Lauderdale |
| Geneva | Geneva | Geneva | Geneva | Lawrence |
| Houston | Houston | Houston | Houston | Lee |
| Jackson | Jackson | Jackson | Jackson | Limestone |
| Jefferson | Jefferson | Jefferson | Jefferson | Macon |
| Lamar | Lamar | Lamar | Lamar | Madison |
| Lauderdale | Lauderdale | Lauderdale | Lauderdale | Marengo |
| Lawrence | Lawrence | Lawrence | Lawrence | Marion |
| Lee | Lee | Lee | Lee | Marshall |
| Limestone | Limestone | Limestone | Limestone | Mobile |
| Lowndes | Lowndes | Lowndes | Lowndes | Monroe |
| Macon | Macon | Macon | Macon | Montgomery |
| Madison | Madison | Madison | Madison | Morgan |
| Marengo | Marengo | Marengo | Marengo | Perry |
| Marion | Marion | Marion | Marion | Pickens |
| Marshall | Marshall | Marshall | Marshall | Pike |
| Mobile | Mobile | Mobile | Mobile | Shelby |
| Monroe | Monroe | Monroe | Monroe | Sumter |
| Montgomery | Montgomery | Montgomery | Montgomery | Talladega |
| Morgan | Morgan | Morgan | Morgan | Tallapoosa |
| Pickens | Pickens | Pickens | Pickens | Tuscaloosa |
| Shelby | Perry | Perry | Perry | Walker |
| Sumter | Pickens | Pickens | Pickens | Washington |
| Talladega | Pike | Pike | Pike | Wilcox |
| Tallapoosa | Shelby | Shelby | Shelby | |
| Tuscaloosa | Sumter | Sumter | Sumter | |
| Walker | Talladega | Talladega | Talladega | |
| Washington | Tallapoosa | Tallapoosa | Tallapoosa | |
| Wilcox | Tuscaloosa | Tuscaloosa | Tuscaloosa | |
| Winston | Walker | Walker | Walker | |
| | Washington | Washington | Washington | |
| | Wilcox | Wilcox | Wilcox | |
| | Winston | Winston | Winston | |

ARIZONA

| | | | | |
|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| Cochise | Cochise | Cochise | Cochise | Cochise |
| Coconino | Coconino | Gila | Gila | Gila |
| Yuma | Maricopa | Maricopa | Maricopa | Maricopa |
| | Pima | Yuma | Pima | Pima |
| | Yuma | | | |

ARKANSAS

| | | | | |
|----------|----------|-----------------------|-----------------------|------------|
| Arkansas | Arkansas | Arkansas ¹ | Arkansas ¹ | Ashley |
| Ashley | Ashley | Ashley | Ashley | Clark |
| Conway | Clark | Bradley | Bradley | Conway |
| Cross | Conway | Clark | Chicot | Crittenden |
| Desha | Cross | Cleburne | Clark | Cross |
| Drew | Desha | Conway | Cleveland | Faulkner |
| Garland | Drew | Crittenden | Conway | Garland |
| Jackson | Garland | Cross | Crittenden | Jackson |

¹ district of 3 counties.

TABLE 1.—List of counties, townships, or districts in which as of Jan. 1, 1930, 1931, and 1932, respectively, and Dec. 31, 1932 and 1933, respectively, rural sections were provided with health service under local whole-time health officers—Continued

ARKANSAS—Continued

| Jan. 1, 1930 | Jan. 1, 1931 | Jan. 1, 1932 | Dec. 31, 1932 | Dec. 31, 1933 |
|--|---|---|---|--|
| Jefferson Little River Mississippi Monroe Phillips Pope Pulaski Saline Sebastian Union White Woodruff Yell | Jackson Jefferson Little River Lonoke Mississippi Monroe Ouachita Phillips Pope Pulaski Saline Sebastian Union White Woodruff Yell | Desha Draw Garland Jackson Jefferson Little River Lonoke ¹ Miller Mississippi Monroe Ouachita Perry Phillips Pope Prairie ¹ Pulaski Saline Sebastian Union White Woodruff Yell | Cross Draw Garland Jackson Jefferson Lincoln Little River Lonoke ¹ Mississippi Monroe Ouachita Phillips Pope Prairie ¹ Pulaski Saline Sebastian Woodruff Yell | Jefferson Little River Lonoke Mississippi Monroe Ouachita Phillips Pope Pulaski Saline Sebastian Woodruff Yell |

CALIFORNIA

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|--|--|--|--|--|
| Contra Costa Los Angeles Madera Monterey Orange Riverside San Diego San Joaquin San Luis Obispo Santa Barbara Stanislaus Yolo | Contra Costa Imperial Los Angeles Madera Monterey Orange Riverside San Diego San Joaquin San Luis Obispo Santa Barbara Stanislaus Yolo | Contra Costa Imperial Los Angeles Madera Monterey Orange Riverside San Bernardino San Diego San Joaquin San Luis Obispo Santa Barbara Stanislaus Yolo | Contra Costa Imperial Los Angeles Madera Monterey Orange Riverside San Bernardino San Diego San Joaquin San Luis Obispo Santa Barbara Stanislaus Yolo | Contra Costa Imperial Los Angeles Madera Monterey Orange Riverside San Bernardino San Diego San Joaquin San Luis Obispo Santa Barbara Stanislaus |
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COLORADO

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|-------|-------|-------|--|--|
| Otero | Otero | Otero | | |
|-------|-------|-------|--|--|

CONNECTICUT

| | | | | |
|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|--|--|
| Fairfield ² | Fairfield ² | Fairfield ² | Fairfield ² West Hartford ² | Fairfield ² West Hartford ² |
|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|--|--|

DELAWARE

| | | | | |
|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Kent Newcastle Sussex | Kent Newcastle Sussex | Kent Newcastle Sussex | Kent Newcastle Sussex | Kent Newcastle Sussex |
|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|

FLORIDA

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|---------------------|---------------------------|----------------|----------------------------|------------------|
| Manatee Sarasota | Leon Manatee Taylor | Leon Taylor | Escambia Leon Taylor | Escambia Leon |
|---------------------|---------------------------|----------------|----------------------------|------------------|

¹ 1 district of 3 counties.² Township.

TABLE 1.—List of counties, townships, or districts in which as of Jan. 1, 1930, 1931, and 1932, respectively, and Dec. 31, 1932 and 1933, respectively, rural sections were provided with health service under local whole-time health officers—Continued

GEORGIA

| Jan. 1, 1930 | Jan. 1, 1931 | Jan. 1, 1932 | Dec. 31, 1932 | Dec. 31, 1933 |
|---|---|---|---|--|
| Baldwin Bartow Bibb Brooks Chatham Clarke Clinch Cobb Coffee Colquitt Crisp Decatur De Kalb Dougherty Emanuel Floyd Glynn Grady Hall Jefferson Jenkins Laurens Lowndes Mitchell Richmond Spalding Sumter Thomas Troup Walker Ware Washington Wayne Worth | Baldwin Bartow Bibb Brooks Chatham Clarke Clinch Cobb Coffee Colquitt Decatur De Kalb Dougherty Floyd Glynn Grady Hall Jefferson Jenkins Laurens Lowndes Mitchell Richmond Spalding Sumter Thomas Troup Walker Ware Washington | Baldwin Bartow Bibb Brooks Catoosa ¹ Chatham Chatooga ² Clarke Cobb Coffee Colquitt Dade ³ Decatur De Kalb Dougherty Floyd Glynn Gordon ¹ Grady Hall Jefferson Jenkins Laurens Lowndes Mitchell Murray ¹ Richmond Spalding Sumter Thomas Troup Walker ^{2, 3} Ware Washington Whitfield ⁴ | Baldwin Bartow Bibb Brooks Catoosa ¹ Chatham Clarke Cobb Colquitt Dade ³ Decatur De Kalb Dougherty Floyd Fulton Glynn Grady Hall Jefferson Jenkins Laurens Lowndes Mitchell Richmond Spalding Sumter Thomas Troup Walker ² Ware Washington | Baldwin Bartow Bibb Brooks Catoosa ⁴ Chatham Clarke Cobb Colquitt Decatur De Kalb Dougherty Floyd Fulton Glynn Grady Hall Jefferson Jenkins Laurens Lowndes Mitchell Richmond Spalding Sumter Thomas Troup Walker ⁴ Ware Washington |

IDAHO

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|--------------------------|------------|------------|------------|--|
| Bonneville Twin Falls | Twin Falls | Twin Falls | Twin Falls | |
|--------------------------|------------|------------|------------|--|

ILLINOIS

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|-------------------|-------------------|---------|---------|---------|
| Du Page Morgan | Du Page Morgan | Du Page | Du Page | Du Page |
|-------------------|-------------------|---------|---------|---------|

IOWA

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|--|------------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------|
| | Washington Woodbury | Des Moines Washington Woodbury | Des Moines Washington Woodbury | Woodbury |
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KANSAS

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|---|---|---|---|--------------------------------------|
| Brown Butler Cherokee Dickinson Geary Greenwood Lyon Marion Ottawa Sedgwick Shawnee | Brown Butler Cherokee Dickinson Geary Greenwood Lyon Marion Ottawa Sedgwick Shawnee | Brown Butler Cherokee Dickinson Geary Greenwood Lyon Marion Sedgwick Shawnee | Brown Geary Lyon Marion Sedgwick Shawnee | Geary Lyon Sedgwick Shawnee |
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¹ Included in 1 district of 4 counties.
² Included in 1 district of 3 counties.

³ Walker County also included in a tricounty district.
⁴ Included in 1 district of 2 counties.

TABLE 1.—List of counties, townships, or districts in which as of Jan. 1, 1930, 1931, and 1932, respectively, and Dec. 31, 1932 and 1933, respectively, rural sections were provided with health service under local whole-time health officers—Continued

KENTUCKY

| Jan. 1, 1930 | Jan. 1, 1931 | Jan. 1, 1932 | Dec. 31, 1932 | Dec. 31, 1933 |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|
| Ballard | Bell | Adair | Adair | Adair |
| Bell | Boyd | Allen | Allen | Allen |
| Boyd | Breathitt | Anderson | Anderson | Anderson |
| Breathitt | Bullitt | Barren | Barren | Barren |
| Bullitt | Calloway | Bath | Bath | Bath |
| Calloway | Carlisle | Bell | Bell | Bell |
| Carlisle | Carter | Boyd | Boyd | Boyd |
| Carter | Daviess | Breathitt | Breathitt | Breathitt |
| Daviess | Elliott | Bullitt | Bullitt | Bullitt |
| Elliott | Estill | Butler | Butler | Butler |
| Estill | Fayette | Caldwell | Caldwell | Caldwell |
| Fayette | Floyd | Calloway | Calloway | Calloway |
| Floyd | Fulton | Carlisle | Carlisle | Carlisle |
| Fulton | Henderson | Carter | Carter | Carter |
| Henderson | Hickman | Casey | Casey | Casey |
| Hickman | Hopkins | Clinton | Clinton | Clinton |
| Hopkins | Jefferson | Daviess | Daviess | Daviess |
| Jefferson | Kenton | Edmonson | Edmonson | Edmonson |
| Johnson | Knott | Elliott | Elliott | Elliott |
| Kenton | Knox | Estill | Estill | Estill |
| Knott | Lawrence | Fayette | Fayette | Fayette |
| Knox | Lee | Fleming | Fleming | Fleming |
| Lawrence | Leslie | Floyd | Floyd | Floyd |
| Lee | Letcher | Fulton | Fulton | Fulton |
| Leslie | Lincoln | Gallatin | Gallatin | Gallatin |
| Letcher | Madison | Grant | Grant | Grant |
| Magoffin | Magoffin | Grayson | Grayson | Grayson |
| Martin | Martin | Green | Green | Green |
| Mason | Mason | Greenup | Greenup | Greenup |
| McLean | McLean | Hancock | Hancock | Hart |
| Menifee | Menifee | Harrison | Hart | Henderson |
| Monroe | Monroe | Hart | Henderson | Hickman |
| Morgan | Morgan | Henderson | Hickman | Hopkins |
| Muhlenberg | Muhlenberg | Hickman | Hopkins | Jackson |
| Ohio | Ohio | Hopkins | Jackson | Jefferson |
| Owsley | Owsley | Jackson | Jefferson | Kenton |
| Perry | Perry | Jefferson | Kenton | Knott |
| Pike | Pike | Kenton | Knott | Knox |
| Scott | Scott | Knox | Knox | Laurel |
| Trigg | Trigg | Laurel | Laurel | Lawrence |
| Union | Union | Lawrence | Lawrence | Lee |
| Wayne | Wayne | Lee | Lee | Leslie |
| Webster | Webster | Leslie | Letcher | Letcher |
| Whitley | | Letcher | Lewis | Lincoln |
| Wolfe | | Lewis | Lincoln | Madison |
| | | Lincoln | McCreary | Magoffin |
| | | McCreary | McLean | Magoffin |
| | | McLean | Madison | Marshall |
| | | Madison | Magoffin | Martin |
| | | Magoffin | Marshall | Mason |
| | | Marshall | Martin | McCreary |
| | | Martin | Mason | McLean |
| | | Mason | Meade | Meade |
| | | Mason | Menifee | Menifee |
| | | Meade | Monroe | Monroe |
| | | Menifee | Muhlenberg | Muhlenberg |
| | | Metcalfe | Nicholas | Nicholas |
| | | Metcalfe | Nicholas | Ohio |
| | | Monroe | Ohio | Owsley |
| | | Morgan | Owsley | Perry |
| | | Morgan | Perry | Pike |
| | | Muhlenberg | Pike | Powell |
| | | Nicholas | Powell | Pulaski |
| | | Ohio | Pulaski | Rockcastle |
| | | Ohio | Robertson | Rowan |
| | | Owen | Rockcastle | Scott |
| | | Owsley | Rowan | Todd |
| | | Perry | Scott | Trigg |
| | | Pike | Todd | Trimble |
| | | Powell | Trigg | Union |
| | | Pulaski | Trimble | Warren |
| | | Robertson | Union | Wayne |
| | | Rockcastle | Warren | Webster |
| | | Rowan | Wayne | Wolfe |
| | | Scott | | |
| | | Todd | | |
| | | Trigg | | |
| | | Trimble | | |
| | | Union | | |
| | | Warren | | |
| | | Wayne | | |
| | | Webster | | |
| | | Wolfe | | |

TABLE 1.—List of counties, townships, or districts in which as of Jan. 1, 1930, 1931, and 1932, respectively, and Dec. 31, 1932 and 1933, respectively, rural sections were provided with health service under local whole-time health officers—Continued

KENTUCKY—Continued

| Jan. 1, 1930 | Jan. 1, 1931 | Jan. 1, 1932 | Dec. 31, 1932 | Dec. 31, 1933 |
|--------------|--------------|--|-----------------------------|---------------|
| | | Warren Wayne Webster Whitley Wolfe | Webster Whitley Wolfe | |

LOUISIANA¹

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|--|--|--|--|--|
| Assumption Avoyelles Caddo Caldwell Catahoula Claiborne Concordia De Soto East Carroll Franklin Iberia Iberville Lafayette Lafourche La Salle Lincoln Madison Morehouse Natchitoches Ouachita Point Coupee Rapides Richland St. Landry St. Martin St. Mary Tensas Terrebonne Washington Webster West Carroll | Assumption Avoyelles Caddo Caldwell Catahoula Claiborne Concordia De Soto East Carroll Franklin Iberia Iberville Lafayette Lafourche La Salle Lincoln Madison Morehouse Natchitoches Ouachita Point Coupee Rapides Richland St. Landry St. Martin St. Mary Terrebonne Washington Webster West Carroll | Assumption Avoyelles Caddo Caldwell Catahoula Claiborne Concordia De Soto East Carroll Evangeline Franklin Iberia Iberville Lafayette Lafourche La Salle Lincoln Madison Morehouse Natchitoches Ouachita Point Coupee Rapides Richland St. Landry St. Martin St. Mary Tensas Terrebonne Washington Webster West Carroll | Assumption Avoyelles Caddo Caldwell Catahoula Claiborne Concordia De Soto East Carroll Franklin Iberia Iberville Lafayette Lafourche La Salle Lincoln Madison Morehouse Natchitoches Ouachita Point Coupee Rapides Richland St. Landry St. Martin St. Mary Tensas Terrebonne Washington Webster West Carroll | Assumption Avoyelles Caddo Caldwell Catahoula Claiborne Concordia De Soto East Carroll Franklin Iberia Iberville Lafayette Lafourche La Salle Lincoln Madison Morehouse Natchitoches Ouachita Point Coupee Rapides Richland St. Landry St. Martin St. Mary Tensas Terrebonne Washington Webster West Carroll |
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MAINE

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|--|--|---|--|--|
| Motbov Union ² Rumford ³ Sanford ³ Vassalboro ³ | Motbov Union ³ Rumford ³ Sanford ³ Vassalboro ³ | Bar Harbor Bucksport Cooperative Health Union ⁴ Motbov Union ³ Rumford ³ Sanford ³ | Bar Harbor Cooperative Health Union ⁴ Motbov Union ³ Rumford ³ Sanford ³ | Bar Harbor Cooperative Health Union ⁴ Motbov Union ³ Rumford ³ Sanford ³ |
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¹ Parishes.

² Including municipalities of Orono, Milford, Bradley, Veazie, and Old Town.

³ Town (township) wholly or partly rural.

⁴ Including towns of Avon, Chesterville, Eustis, Livermore, Phillips, Rangeley, Strong, Temple, Weld, and Wilton.

⁵ Including towns of Avon, Chesterville, Eustis, Livermore, Lang Pl., Rangeley, Sandy River Pl., Strong, Temple, and Weld.

TABLE 1.—List of counties, townships, or districts in which as of Jan. 1, 1930, 1931, and 1932, respectively, and Dec. 31, 1932 and 1933, respectively, rural sections were provided with health service under local whole-time health officers—Continued

MARYLAND

| Jan. 1, 1930 | Jan. 1, 1931 | Jan. 1, 1932 | Dec. 31, 1932 | Dec. 31, 1933 |
|--|--|---|--|---|
| Allegany Baltimore Calvert Carroll Cecil Frederick Harford Montgomery Prince Georges Talbot Wicomico | Allegany Anne Arundel Baltimore Calvert Carroll Cecil Frederick Harford Kent Montgomery Prince Georges Talbot Washington Wicomico | Allegany Anne Arundel Baltimore Calvert Carroll Cecil Dorchester Frederick Garrett Harford Kent Montgomery Prince Georges Queen Annes Talbot Washington Wicomico Worcester | Allegany Anne Arundel Baltimore Calvert Carroll Cecil Charles Dorchester Frederick Garrett Harford Howard Kent Montgomery Prince Georges Queen Annes Somerset Talbot Washington Wicomico Worcester | Allegany Anne Arundel Baltimore Calvert Carroll Cecil Charles Dorchester Frederick Garrett Harford Howard Kent Montgomery Prince Georges Queen Annes St. Marys Somerset Talbot Washington Wicomico Worcester |

MASSACHUSETTS

| | | | | |
|------------|------------|---|--|--|
| Barnstable | Barnstable | Barnstable Nashoba Southern Berkshire | Barnstable Nashoba ¹ Southern Berk- shire ² | Barnstable Nashoba ¹ Southern Berk- shire ² |
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MICHIGAN

| | | | | |
|--|---|---|---|--|
| Genesee Oakland Saginaw Wexford | Alcona ³ Alpena ³ Antrim ³ Charlevoix ³ Cheboygan ³ Crawford ³ Emmet ³ Genesee Iosco ³ Isabella Kalkaska ³ Kent Midland Missaukee ³ Montmorency ³ Oakland Ogemaw ³ Oscoda ³ Otsego ³ Ottawa Presque Isle ³ Roscommon ³ Saginaw Wexford | Alcona ³ Alpena ³ Antrim ³ Barry Charlevoix ³ Cheboygan ³ Crawford ³ Emmet ³ Genesee Iosco ³ Isabella Kalkaska ³ Kent Midland Missaukee ³ Montmorency ³ Ogemaw ³ Oscoda ³ Otsego ³ Presque Isle ³ Roscommon ³ Saginaw Wexford | Alcona ³ Allegan Alpena ³ Antrim ³ Barry Charlevoix ³ Cheboygan ³ Crawford ³ Emmet ³ Genesee Iosco ³ Isabella Kalkaska ³ Kent Lake ⁴ Midland Missaukee ³ Montmorency ³ Newaygo ⁴ Oakland Oceana ⁴ Ogemaw ³ Oscoda ³ Otsego ³ Ottawa Presque Isle ³ Roscommon ³ Saginaw Wexford | Alcona ³ Allegan Alpena ³ Antrim ³ Barry Charlevoix ³ Cheboygan ³ Crawford ³ Eaton Emmet ³ Genesee Iosco ³ Isabella Kalkaska ³ Kent Lake ⁴ Midland Missaukee ³ Montmorency ³ Newaygo ⁴ Oakland Oceana ⁴ Ogemaw ³ Oscoda ³ Otsego ³ Ottawa Presque Isle ³ Roscommon ³ Saginaw Wexford |
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MINNESOTA

| | | | | |
|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| St. Louis | St. Louis | St. Louis | St. Louis | St. Louis |
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¹ Represents 14 towns.
² Represents 16 towns.

³ Included in 4 districts of 4 counties each.
⁴ Included in 1 district of 3 counties.

TABLE 1.—List of counties, townships, or districts in which as of Jan. 1, 1930, 1931, and 1932, respectively, and Dec. 31, 1932 and 1933, respectively, rural sections were provided with health service under local whole-time health officers—Continued

MISSISSIPPI

| Jan. 1, 1930 | Jan. 1, 1931 | Jan. 1, 1932 | Dec. 31, 1932 | Dec. 31, 1933 |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Adams Bolivar Clarke Coahoma Copiah Forrest Hancock Harrison Hinds Holmes Humphreys Issaquena Jackson Lamar Lauderdale Lee Leflore Lincoln Monroe Pearl River Perry Sharkey Sunflower Tishomingo Union Warren Washington Yazoo | Adams Bolivar Clarke Coahoma Copiah Forrest Hancock Harrison Hinds Holmes Humphreys Issaquena Jackson Lamar Lauderdale Lee Leflore Lincoln Monroe Pearl River Perry Sharkey Sunflower Tishomingo Union Warren Washington Yazoo | Adams Bolivar Clarke Coahoma Copiah Forrest Hancock Harrison Hinds Holmes Humphreys Issaquena Jackson Lamar Lauderdale Lee Leflore Lincoln Monroe Pearl River Perry Pike Sharkey Sunflower Tishomingo Union Warren Washington Yazoo | Adams Bolivar Coahoma Copiah Forrest Hancock Harrison Hinds Holmes Humphreys Jackson Lamar Lauderdale Lee Leflore Lincoln Monroe Pearl River Perry Pike Sunflower Union Warren Washington Yazoo | Adams Bolivar Coahoma Forrest Hancock Harrison Hinds Holmes Humphreys Jackson Lamar Lauderdale Lee Leflore Lincoln Monroe Pearl River Pike Sharkey Sunflower Union Warren Washington Yazoo |

MISSOURI

| | | | | |
|---|--|---|--|---|
| Boone Buchanan Dunklin Greene Jackson Marion Mississippi New Madrid Nodaway Pemiscot St. Francois St. Louis Scott | Boone Buchanan Dunklin Greene Jackson Marion Miller New Madrid Nodaway Pemiscot St. Francois St. Louis Scott | Boone Buchanan Dunklin Greene Jackson Marion Miller New Madrid Pemiscot St. Louis Scott | Boone Buchanan Dunklin Greene Jackson Marion Miller New Madrid Pemiscot St. Louis | Buchanan Dunklin Greene Jackson Marion Miller New Madrid Pemiscot St. Louis |
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MONTANA

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|--|--|--|--|--|
| Cascade Gallatin Lewis and Clark Missoula | Cascade Gallatin Lewis and Clark Missoula | Cascade Gallatin Lewis and Clark Missoula | Cascade Gallatin Lewis and Clark Missoula | Cascade Gallatin Lewis and Clark Missoula |
|--|--|--|--|--|

NEW MEXICO

| | | | | |
|---|--|---|---|---|
| Bernalillo Chaves Dona Ana Eddy McKinley Union Valencia | Bernalillo Dona Ana Eddy Lea McKinley Santa Fe Union Valencia | Bernalillo Dona Ana Eddy Santa Fe Union Valencia | Bernalillo Dona Ana Eddy Santa Fe Union Valencia | Bernalillo Dona Ana Eddy Santa Fe Union Valencia |
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TABLE 1.—List of counties, townships, or districts in which as of Jan. 1, 1930, 1931, and 1932, respectively, and Dec. 31, 1932 and 1933, respectively, rural sections were provided with health service under local whole-time health officers—Continued

NEW YORK

| Jan. 1, 1930 | Jan. 1, 1931 | Jan. 1, 1932 | Dec. 31, 1932 | Dec. 31, 1933 |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cattaraugus Cortland Suffolk Westchester | Cattaraugus Cortland Suffolk Westchester | Cattaraugus Cortland Suffolk Westchester | Cattaraugus Cortland Suffolk Westchester | Cattaraugus Columbia Cortland Suffolk Westchester |

NORTH CAROLINA

| | | | | |
|-------------|-------------|-------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| Beaufort | Beaufort | Beaufort | Beaufort | Beaufort |
| Bertie | Bertie | Bladen | Bladen | Bladen |
| Bladen | Bladen | Buncombe | Buncombe | Buncombe |
| Buncombe | Buncombe | Cabarrus | Cabarrus | Cabarrus |
| Cabarrus | Cabarrus | Columbus | Columbus | Columbus |
| Cherokee | Cherokee | Cumberland | Cumberland | Cumberland |
| Columbus | Columbus | Davidson | Davidson | Davidson |
| Craven | Craven | Durham | Durham | Durham |
| Cumberland | Cumberland | Edgecombe | Edgecombe | Edgecombe |
| Davidson | Davidson | Forsyth | Forsyth ¹ | Forsyth ¹ |
| Durham | Durham | Franklin | Franklin | Franklin |
| Edgecombe | Edgecombe | Gaston | Gaston | Gaston |
| Forsyth | Forsyth | Granville | Granville | Granville |
| Gaston | Gaston | Guilford | Guilford | Guilford |
| Granville | Granville | Halifax | Halifax | Halifax |
| Guilford | Guilford | Johnston | Lenoir | Hyde |
| Halifax | Halifax | Lenoir | Mecklenburg | Lenoir |
| Henderson | Henderson | Mecklenburg | Moore | Mecklenburg |
| Johnston | Johnston | Moore | New Hanover | Moore |
| Lenoir | Lenoir | New Hanover | Northampton | Nash |
| Mecklenburg | Mecklenburg | Northampton | Pitt | New Hanover |
| Moore | Moore | Pitt | Randolph | Northampton |
| Nash | Moore | Randolph | Richmond | Pitt |
| New Hanover | Nash | Richmond | Robeson | Randolph |
| Northampton | New Hanover | Robeson | Rowan | Richmond |
| Pitt | Northampton | Rutherford | Rutherford | Robeson |
| Randolph | Pitt | Sampson | Sampson | Rowan |
| Richmond | Randolph | Stokes | Stokes ¹ | Sampson |
| Robeson | Richmond | Stokes | Surry | Stokes ¹ |
| Rowan | Robeson | Surry | Vance | Surry |
| Rutherford | Rowan | Vance | Wake | Vance |
| Sampson | Rutherford | Wake | Wayne | Wake |
| Surry | Sampson | Wayne | Wilkes | Wayne |
| Vance | Surry | Wilkes | Wilson | Wilkes |
| Wake | Vance | Wilson | Yadkin | Wilson |
| Wayne | Wake | Yadkin | | Yadkin |
| Wilkes | Wayne | | | |
| Wilson | Wilson | | | |

OHIO

| | | | | |
|------------|------------|------------|------------|-----------|
| Allen | Allen | Allen | Allen | Allen |
| Ashtabula | Ashtabula | Ashtabula | Ashtabula | Belmont |
| Belmont | Belmont | Belmont | Belmont | Butler |
| Butler | Butler | Butler | Butler | Clinton |
| Clinton | Clinton | Clinton | Clinton | Coshocton |
| Columbiana | Columbiana | Columbiana | Columbiana | Crawford |
| Coshocton | Coshocton | Coshocton | Coshocton | Cuyahoga |
| Crawford | Crawford | Crawford | Crawford | Darke |
| Cuyahoga | Cuyahoga | Cuyahoga | Cuyahoga | Delaware |
| Darke | Darke | Darke | Darke | Erie |
| Delaware | Delaware | Delaware | Delaware | Fayette |
| Erie | Erie | Erie | Erie | Hamilton |
| Fayette | Fayette | Fayette | Fayette | Hancock |
| Franklin | Franklin | Franklin | Franklin | Hocking |
| Geauga | Hamilton | Guernsey | Hamilton | Huron |
| Hamilton | Hancock | Hamilton | Hancock | Jefferson |
| Hancock | Hocking | Hancock | Hocking | Lorain |
| Hocking | Huron | Hocking | Huron | Lucas |
| Huron | Jackson | Huron | Jackson | Mahoning |
| Jefferson | Jefferson | Jefferson | Jefferson | Marion |
| Lake | Lorain | Jefferson | Lorain | Medina |
| Lorain | Lucas | Lorain | Lucas | Meigs |

¹ Included in 1 district of 3 counties.

TABLE 1.—List of counties, townships, or districts in which as of Jan. 1, 1930, 1931, and 1932, respectively, and Dec. 31, 1932 and 1933, respectively, rural sections were provided with health service under local whole-time health officers—Continued

OHIO—Continued

| Jan. 1, 1930 | Jan. 1, 1931 | Jan. 1, 1932 | Dec. 31, 1932 | Dec. 31, 1933 |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|---------------|
| Lucas | Mahoning | Lucas | Mahoning | Mercer |
| Mahoning | Marion | Marion | Marion | Miami |
| Marion | Meigs | Marion | Medina | Montgomery |
| Meigs | Mercer | Medina | Meigs | Perry |
| Mercer | Miami | Meigs | Mercer | Pickaway |
| Miami | Montgomery | Mercer | Miami | Preble |
| Montgomery | Morrow | Miami | Montgomery | Richland |
| Morrow | Muskingum | Montgomery | Morrow | Ross |
| Perry | Perry | Morrow | Perry | Scioto |
| Pickaway | Pickaway | Perry | Pickaway | Seneca |
| Preble | Preble | Pickaway | Preble | Shelby |
| Richland | Richland | Preble | Richland | Stark |
| Ross | Ross | Richland | Ross | Summit |
| Sandusky | Sandusky | Ross | Scioto | Trumbull |
| Scioto | Scioto | Scioto | Seneca | Tuscarawas |
| Seneca | Seneca | Seneca | Shelby | Washington |
| Shelby | Shelby | Shelby | Stark | Wayne |
| Stark | Stark | Stark | Summit | Wood |
| Summit | Summit | Summit | Trumbull | |
| Trumbull | Trumbull | Trumbull | Tuscarawas | |
| Tuscarawas | Tuscarawas | Tuscarawas | Washington | |
| Washington | Washington | Washington | Wayne | |
| Wayne | Wayne | Wayne | Wood | |
| Wood | Wood | Wood | | |

OKLAHOMA

| | | | | |
|-----------|--------------|--------------|--|--|
| Carter | Carter | Carter | | |
| Le Flore | Le Flore | Le Flore | | |
| McCurtain | McCurtain | McCurtain | | |
| Muskogee | Muskogee | Muskogee | | |
| Okmulgee | Okmulgee | Okmulgee | | |
| Osage | Ottawa | Ottawa | | |
| Ottawa | Pittsburg | Pittsburg | | |
| Pittsburg | Pottawatomie | Pottawatomie | | |
| Seminole | Seminole | Seminole | | |

OREGON

| | | | | |
|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Clackamas | Clackamas | Clackamas | Clackamas | Clackamas |
| Coos | Coos | Coos | Coos | Jackson |
| Douglas | Douglas | Douglas | Douglas | Klamath |
| Jackson | Jackson | Jackson | Jackson | Lane |
| Klamath | Klamath | Klamath | Klamath | Marion |
| Marion | Lane | Lane | Lane | Multnomah |
| Multnomah | Marion | Marion | Marion | |
| | Multnomah | Multnomah | | |

PENNSYLVANIA

| | | | | |
|--|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| | Allegheny | Allegheny | Allegheny | Allegheny |
| | Bucks | Bucks | Bucks | Bucks |
| | Luzerne | Luzerne | Luzerne | Luzerne |

SOUTH CAROLINA

| | | | | |
|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| Aiken | Aiken | Aiken | Aiken | Aiken |
| Anderson | Anderson | Anderson | Anderson | Anderson |
| Beaufort | Beaufort | Beaufort | Beaufort | Beaufort |
| Berkeley | Berkeley | Berkeley | Berkeley | Berkeley |
| Charleston | Charleston | Charleston | Charleston | Charleston |
| Cherokee | Cherokee | Cherokee | Cherokee | Cherokee |
| Darlington | Darlington | Darlington | Darlington | Darlington |
| Dillon | Dillon | Dillon | Dillon | Dillon |
| Dorchester | Dorchester | Dorchester | Dorchester | Dorchester |
| Fairfield | Fairfield | Fairfield | Fairfield | Fairfield |
| Florence | Florence | Florence | Florence | Florence |

¹ Included in 1 district of 2 counties.

TABLE 1.—List of counties, townships, or districts in which as of Jan. 1, 1930, 1931, and 1932, respectively, and Dec. 31, 1932 and 1933, respectively, rural sections were provided with health service under local whole-time health officers—Continued

SOUTH CAROLINA—Continued

| Jan. 1, 1930 | Jan. 1, 1931 | Jan. 1, 1932 | Dec. 31, 1932 | Dec. 31, 1933 |
|---|---|--|--|--|
| Georgetown Greenville Greenwood Horry Kershaw Lexington Marion Newberry Oconee Orangeburg Richland Spartanburg | Georgetown Greenville Greenwood Horry Kershaw Lexington Marion Newberry Oconee Orangeburg Richland Spartanburg | Georgetown Greenville Greenwood Horry Kershaw Lexington Marion Newberry Oconee Orangeburg Pickens Richland Spartanburg | Georgetown Greenville Greenwood Horry Kershaw Lexington Marion Newberry Oconee Orangeburg Pickens Richland Spartanburg | Georgetown Greenville Greenwood Horry Kershaw Marion ¹ Newberry Oconee Orangeburg Pickens Richland Spartanburg |

SOUTH DAKOTA

| Pennington | Pennington | Pennington | Pennington | Pennington |
|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| | | | | |

TENNESSEE

| | | | | |
|---|--|--|---|---|
| Bledsoe Blount Bradley Carter Clay Davidson Dyer Fentress Gibson Giles Greene Grundy Hamilton Hardeman Jackson Knox Lake Lauderdale Lincoln Meigs Monroe Montgomery Obion Overton Pickett Rhea Roane Rutherford Sequatchie Sevier Shelby Sullivan Sumner Tipton Washington Weakley Williamson Wilson | Bledsoe Blount Bradley Carter Clay Davidson Dyer Fentress Gibson Giles Greene Grundy Hamilton Hardeman Humphreys Jackson Knox Lake Lauderdale Lewis Lincoln Maury Meigs Monroe Montgomery Obion Overton Pickett Rhea Roane Rutherford Sequatchie Sevier Shelby Sullivan Sumner Tipton Unicoi Washington Weakley Williamson Wilson | Bledsoe ² Blount Bradley Carter Clay ³ Davidson ³ Cumberland Davidson ³ Dyer Fentress ³ Gibson Giles Greene Grundy ³ Greene Hamilton Hardeman Humphreys Jackson ³ Knox Lake Lauderdale Lewis Lincoln Maury Meigs ³ Monroe Montgomery Obion Overton ³ Pickett ³ Rhea ³ Roane Rutherford Sequatchie ³ Sevier Shelby Sullivan Sumner Tipton Unicoi Washington Weakley Williamson Wilson | Bledsoe ² Bradley Carter Clay ³ Davidson ³ Dyer Fentress ³ Gibson Giles Greene Grundy ³ Hamilton Hardeman Humphreys Jackson ³ Knox Lake Lauderdale Lewis Lincoln Maury Meigs ³ Monroe Montgomery Obion Overton ³ Pickett ³ Rhea ³ Roane Rutherford Sequatchie ³ Sevier Shelby Sullivan Sumner Tipton Unicoi Washington Weakley Williamson Wilson | Bledsoe Bradley Davidson Dyer Fentress ⁴ Gibson Giles Greene Grundy ⁴ Hamilton Hardeman Humphreys Jackson ⁴ Knox Lake Lauderdale Lincoln Maury Meigs ⁴ Montgomery Obion Rhea ⁴ Roane Rutherford Sequatchie ⁴ Sevier Shelby Sullivan Sumner Tipton Washington Weakley Williamson Wilson |
|---|--|--|---|---|

TEXAS

| | | | | |
|---|---|--|--|---|
| Cameron Hidalgo Jefferson McLennan Nolan Tarrant | Cameron Hidalgo Jefferson McLennan Nolan Potter Tarrant | Cameron ⁴ Cass Hidalgo ⁴ Jefferson McLennan Nolan Potter Starr ³ Willacy ¹ | Cameron Gregg Hidalgo McLennan Nolan Potter Starr Tarrant | Dallas El Paso Gregg Hidalgo McLennan Nolan Potter Tarrant |
|---|---|--|--|---|

¹ Included in 1 district of 2 counties.² Included in 1 district of 3 counties.³ Included in 4 districts of 2 counties each.⁴ Included in 3 districts of 2 counties each.⁵ Included in 1 district of 4 counties.

TABLE 1.—List of counties, townships, or districts in which as of Jan. 1, 1930, 1931, and 1932, respectively, and Dec. 31, 1932 and 1933, respectively, rural sections were provided with health service under local whole-time health officers—Continued

UTAH

| Jan. 1, 1930 | Jan. 1, 1931 | Jan. 1, 1932 | Dec. 31, 1932 | Dec. 31, 1933 |
|----------------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| Box Elder Davis Utah | Davis Utah | Davis Utah | Davis Utah | Davis Utah |

VIRGINIA

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|--|
| Accomac Albemarle Arlington Augusta Brunswick Fairfax Greensville Halifax Henrico Isle of Wight Nansemond Norfolk Northampton Princess Anne Rockbridge Southampton Wise | Accomac Albemarle Amelia ¹ Appomattox ¹ Arlington Augusta Brunswick Buckingham ¹ Charlotte ¹ Cumberland ¹ Fairfax Greensville Halifax Henrico Isle of Wight Lunenburg ¹ Nansemond Norfolk Northampton Nottoway ¹ Powhatan ¹ Prince Edward ¹ Princess Anne Rockbridge Southampton Wise | Accomac ² Albemarle Amelia ¹ Appomattox ¹ Arlington Augusta Brunswick ² Buckingham ¹ Charlotte ¹ Cumberland ¹ Fairfax Greensville ¹ Halifax Henrico Isle of Wight ² Lunenburg ¹ Nansemond ² Norfolk ² Northampton ² Nottoway ¹ Pittsylvania Powhatan ¹ Prince Edward ¹ Princess Anne ² Rockbridge Southampton Wise | Accomac ² Albemarle Amelia ¹ Appomattox ¹ Arlington Augusta Brunswick ² Buckingham ¹ Charlotte ¹ Cumberland ¹ Fairfax Greensville ² Halifax Henrico Isle of Wight ² Lunenburg ¹ Nansemond ² Norfolk ² Nottoway ¹ Pittsylvania Powhatan ¹ Prince Edward ¹ Princess Anne ² Rockbridge Southampton | Albemarle Arlington Augusta Brunswick ² Fairfax Greensville ² Halifax Henrico Isle of Wight ² Nansemond ² Norfolk ² Pittsylvania Prince Edward Princess Anne ² Rockbridge Southampton |
|---|---|---|---|--|

WASHINGTON

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Chelan Clark King Snohomish Spokane Walla Walla Whitman Yakima | Chelan Clark King Snohomish Spokane Walla Walla Whitman Yakima | Chelan Clark King Snohomish Spokane Walla Walla Whitman Yakima | Chelan Clark King Snohomish Spokane Walla Walla Whitman Yakima | Chelan Clark King Snohomish Spokane Walla Walla Whitman Yakima |
|---|---|---|---|---|

WEST VIRGINIA

| | | | | |
|---|---|--|---|---|
| Berkeley Boone Brooke Fayette Gilmer Hancock Harrison Kanawha Logan Marion Monongalia Ohio Preston Raleigh Wood | Berkeley Boone Brooke Fayette Gilmer Hancock Harrison Kanawha Logan Marion Marshall Monongalia Ohio Preston Raleigh Wood | Berkeley Boone Brooke Doddridge ⁴ Fayette Hancock Harrison Kanawha Logan Marion Marshall Monongalia Ohio Pleasants ⁴ Preston Raleigh Ritchie ⁴ Tyler ⁴ Wetzel ⁴ Wood | Berkeley Boone Brooke Fayette Hancock Harrison Kanawha Logan Marion Marshall Monongalia Ohio Preston Raleigh Wood | Berkeley Boone Fayette Hancock Harrison Kanawha Logan Marshall Monongalia Ohio Preston Raleigh Wood |
|---|---|--|---|---|

¹ Included in 1 district of 9 counties.² Included in 4 districts of 2 counties each.³ Included in 3 districts of 2 counties each.⁴ Included in 1 district of 5 counties.

Résumé of table 1

| State | Number of counties | | | | | Increase or decrease in— | | | |
|---------------------|--------------------|-----------------|-----------------|------------------|------------------|--------------------------|------|------|------|
| | Jan. 1, 1930 | Jan. 1, 1931 | Jan. 1, 1932 | Dec. 31, 1932 | Dec. 31, 1933 | 1930 | 1931 | 1932 | 1933 |
| Alabama..... | 51 | 54 | 54 | 54 | 46 | +3 | --- | --- | -8 |
| Arizona..... | 3 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 4 | +3 | -1 | -1 | --- |
| Arkansas..... | 21 | 24 | 30 | 27 | 21 | +3 | +6 | -3 | -6 |
| California..... | 12 | 13 | 14 | 14 | 13 | +1 | +1 | --- | -1 |
| Colorado..... | 1 | 1 | 1 | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Connecticut..... | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | --- | --- | +1 | --- |
| Delaware..... | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Florida..... | 2 | 3 | 2 | 3 | --- | +1 | -1 | +1 | -1 |
| Georgia..... | 34 | 30 | 35 | 31 | 30 | -4 | +5 | -4 | -1 |
| Idaho..... | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | --- | -1 | --- | --- | -1 |
| Illinois..... | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | --- | -1 | --- | --- |
| Iowa..... | --- | 2 | 3 | 3 | 1 | +2 | +1 | --- | -2 |
| Kansas..... | 11 | 12 | 10 | 6 | 4 | +1 | -2 | -4 | -2 |
| Kentucky..... | 45 | 43 | 81 | 79 | 73 | -2 | +38 | -2 | -6 |
| Louisiana..... | 31 | 31 | 32 | 31 | 31 | --- | +1 | -1 | --- |
| Maine..... | 4 | 4 | 6 | 5 | 5 | --- | +2 | -1 | --- |
| Maryland..... | 11 | 14 | 18 | 21 | 22 | +3 | +4 | +3 | +1 |
| Massachusetts..... | 1 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 3 | --- | +2 | --- | --- |
| Michigan..... | 4 | 24 | 26 | 29 | 30 | +20 | +1 | +4 | +1 |
| Minnesota..... | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Mississippi..... | 26 | 26 | 29 | 25 | 24 | --- | +1 | -4 | -1 |
| Missouri..... | 13 | 13 | 11 | 10 | 9 | --- | -2 | -1 | -1 |
| Montana..... | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| New Mexico..... | 7 | 8 | 6 | 6 | 6 | +1 | -2 | --- | --- |
| New York..... | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 5 | --- | --- | --- | +1 |
| North Carolina..... | 38 | 30 | 36 | 35 | 36 | +1 | -3 | -1 | +1 |
| Ohio..... | 46 | 46 | 46 | 45 | 40 | --- | --- | -1 | -5 |
| Oklahoma..... | 9 | 9 | 9 | --- | --- | --- | --- | -9 | --- |
| Oregon..... | 7 | 8 | 8 | 7 | 6 | +1 | --- | -1 | -1 |
| Pennsylvania..... | --- | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | +3 | --- | --- | --- |
| South Carolina..... | 23 | 23 | 24 | 24 | 23 | --- | +1 | --- | -1 |
| South Dakota..... | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Tennessee..... | 38 | 42 | 43 | 41 | 34 | +4 | +1 | -2 | -7 |
| Texas..... | 6 | 7 | 9 | 8 | 8 | +1 | +2 | -1 | --- |
| Utah..... | 3 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | -1 | --- | --- | --- |
| Virginia..... | 17 | 26 | 27 | 25 | 16 | +9 | +1 | -2 | -9 |
| Washington..... | 8 | 8 | 8 | 8 | 8 | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| West Virginia..... | 15 | 16 | 20 | 15 | 13 | +1 | +4 | -5 | -2 |
| Total..... | 507 | 557 | 616 | 581 | 530 | +50 | +59 | -35 | -51 |

The accompanying map shows the location of the counties, townships, or districts in the United States with health service for rural areas, under the direction of local whole-time health officers on December 31, 1933.

Within the period January 1, 1933, to December 31, 1933, whole-time health service was established in 4 units and was discontinued in 55—a net loss of 51 units. The greatest loss was in the State of Virginia, where whole-time health service was discontinued in 9 counties.

Delaware leads in the percentage of rural population under whole-time health service, all of its three counties having been provided with local whole-time health organization by the State. Of the States in which the local governmental units maintain the health organizations, with or without assistance from the State health department or other sources, Maryland, with 97.5, had the highest percentage of rural population under whole-time health service.

Table 2 presents, by States, the percentage of rural population having health service under the direction of local whole-time health officers at the end of the calendar year 1933.

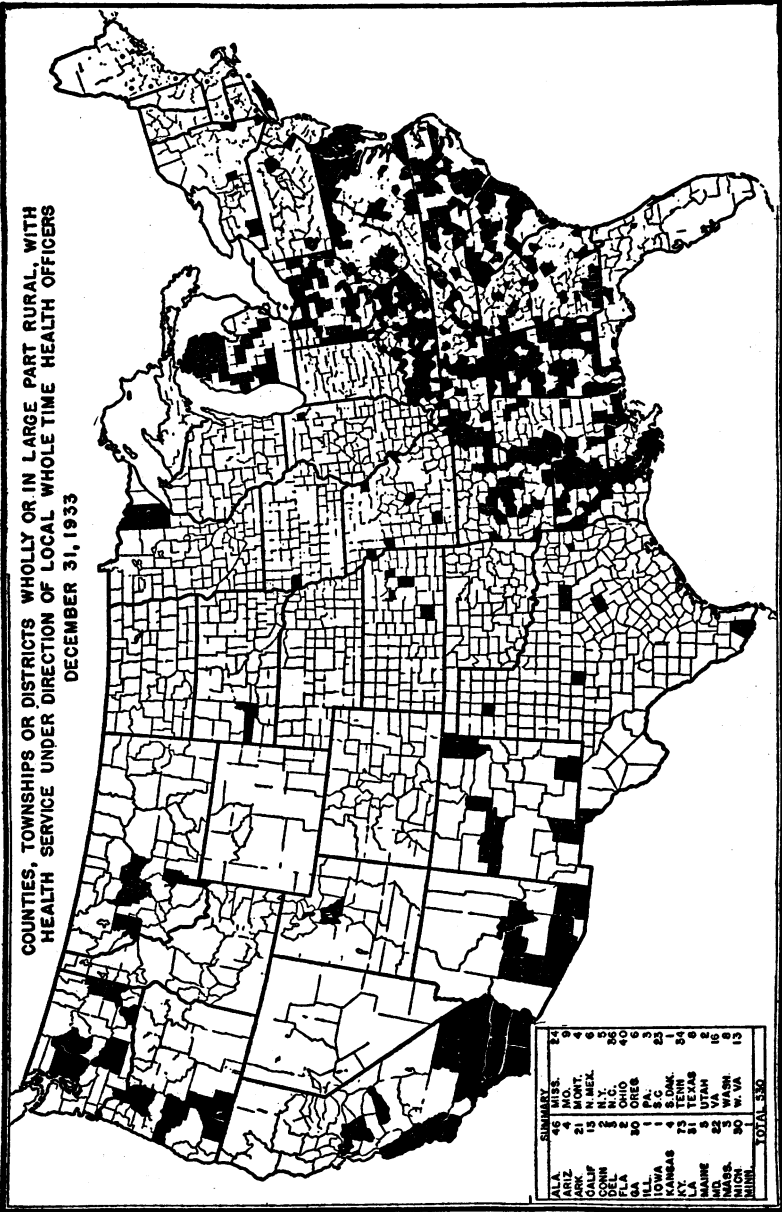


FIGURE 1.—Rural areas having whole-time health officers, December 31, 1933.

TABLE 2.—Percentage of rural population having on Dec. 31, 1933, health service under local, whole-time health officers

| State | Rural population as of Dec. 31, 1933 (estimated from 1930 census) | Rural population with local health service under direction of whole-time health officers | Percentage of rural population with local health service under direction of whole-time health officers |
|---------------------|---|--|--|
| Alabama..... | 1,925,066 | 1,473,028 | 76.5 |
| Arizona..... | 310,989 | 176,081 | 56.6 |
| Arkansas..... | 1,475,224 | 553,512 | 37.5 |
| California..... | 1,670,865 | 795,601 | 47.6 |
| Colorado..... | 526,715 | 0 | 0 |
| Connecticut..... | 486,415 | 50,146 | 10.3 |
| Delaware..... | 119,989 | 119,989 | 100.0 |
| Florida..... | 743,476 | 36,261 | 4.9 |
| Georgia..... | 1,2,013,016 | 574,918 | 28.6 |
| Idaho..... | 316,511 | 0 | 0 |
| Illinois..... | 11,994,927 | 26,408 | 1.3 |
| Indiana..... | 1,442,611 | 0 | 0 |
| Iowa..... | 1,491,647 | 23,060 | 1.5 |
| Kansas..... | 1,151,165 | 71,533 | 6.2 |
| Kentucky..... | 1,827,445 | 1,212,495 | 66.3 |
| Louisiana..... | 1,303,809 | 725,356 | 55.6 |
| Maine..... | 478,651 | 53,949 | 11.3 |
| Maryland..... | 684,613 | 667,690 | 97.5 |
| Massachusetts..... | 497,238 | 69,522 | 14.0 |
| Michigan..... | 1,581,735 | 519,383 | 32.8 |
| Minnesota..... | 1,306,337 | 48,313 | 3.7 |
| Mississippi..... | 1,715,045 | 646,829 | 37.7 |
| Missouri..... | 1,770,248 | 373,393 | 21.1 |
| Montana..... | 1,356,570 | 35,139 | 9.9 |
| Nebraska..... | 892,145 | 0 | 0 |
| Nevada..... | 156,594 | 0 | 0 |
| New Hampshire..... | 202,784 | 0 | 0 |
| New Jersey..... | 709,819 | 0 | 0 |
| New Mexico..... | 324,224 | 89,733 | 27.7 |
| New York..... | 2,165,158 | 316,415 | 14.6 |
| North Carolina..... | 2,467,136 | 1,245,110 | 50.5 |
| North Dakota..... | 570,798 | 0 | 0 |
| Ohio..... | 2,160,204 | 1,188,519 | 55.0 |
| Oklahoma..... | 1,605,658 | 0 | 0 |
| Oregon..... | 490,259 | 201,907 | 41.2 |
| Pennsylvania..... | 13,097,139 | 379,607 | 12.3 |
| Rhode Island..... | 65,550 | 0 | 0 |
| South Carolina..... | 1,367,685 | 833,214 | 60.9 |
| South Dakota..... | 571,918 | 10,674 | 1.9 |
| Tennessee..... | 1,720,018 | 789,383 | 45.9 |
| Texas..... | 3,539,568 | 223,925 | 6.3 |
| Utah..... | 244,425 | 30,516 | 12.5 |
| Vermont..... | 1240,845 | 0 | 0 |
| Virginia..... | 1,636,721 | 410,719 | 25.1 |
| Washington..... | 704,821 | 314,474 | 44.6 |
| West Virginia..... | 1,290,019 | 521,463 | 40.4 |
| Wisconsin..... | 1,385,163 | 0 | 0 |
| Wyoming..... | 162,205 | 0 | 0 |
| Total..... | 54,861,163 | 14,808,307 | 27.0 |

¹ 1930 census; no estimate made for Dec. 31, 1933.

Of the 530 counties, townships, or districts with health service under local whole-time health officers at the end of the present calendar year, 491, or 92.6 percent, were receiving financial assistance for the support of their health service from one or more of the following agencies: The State board of health, the United States Public Health Service, the Rockefeller Foundation, the American Red Cross, the American Women's Hospital Fund, the Rosenwald Fund, the Commonwealth Fund, and the Milbank Memorial Fund.

The accompanying chart shows, by States, the number of counties, townships, or districts with health service under the direction of local whole-time health officers on January 1, 1930, 1931, and 1932, and on December 31, 1932 and 1933, respectively, and the percentage of the rural population of each State receiving such service at the close of the calendar year 1933. Also, it shows the total number of

| STATE | WHOLE-TIME COUNTY OR LOCAL DISTRICT HEALTH UNITS | | | | | % 10 20 30 40 50 60 70 80 90 100 |
|------------------|--|------|------|---------|------|-------------------------------------|
| | JAN. 1 | | | DEC. 31 | | |
| | 1930 | 1931 | 1932 | 1932 | 1933 | |
| 1 DELAWARE | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 100.0 |
| 2 MARYLAND | 11 | 14 | 18 | 21 | 22 | 97.5 |
| 3 ALABAMA | 51 | 54 | 54 | 54 | 46 | 76.5 |
| 4 KENTUCKY | 45 | 43 | 81 | 79 | 73 | 66.3 |
| 5 SOUTH CAROLINA | 23 | 23 | 24 | 24 | 23 | 60.9 |
| 6 ARIZONA | 3 | 6 | 5 | 4 | 4 | 56.6 |
| 7 LOUISIANA | 31 | 31 | 32 | 31 | 31 | 55.6 |
| 8 OHIO | 46 | 46 | 46 | 45 | 40 | 55.0 |
| 9 NORTH CAROLINA | 38 | 39 | 36 | 35 | 36 | 50.5 |
| 10 CALIFORNIA | 12 | 13 | 14 | 14 | 13 | 47.6 |
| 11 TENNESSEE | 38 | 42 | 43 | 41 | 34 | 45.9 |
| 12 WASHINGTON | 8 | 8 | 8 | 8 | 8 | 44.6 |
| 13 OREGON | 7 | 8 | 8 | 7 | 6 | 41.2 |
| 14 WEST VIRGINIA | 15 | 16 | 20 | 15 | 13 | 40.4 |
| 15 MISSISSIPPI | 28 | 28 | 29 | 25 | 24 | 37.7 |
| 16 ARKANSAS | 21 | 24 | 30 | 27 | 21 | 37.5 |
| 17 MICHIGAN | 4 | 24 | 25 | 29 | 30 | 32.8 |
| 18 GEORGIA | 34 | 30 | 35 | 31 | 30 | 28.6 |
| 19 NEW MEXICO | 7 | 8 | 6 | 6 | 6 | 27.7 |
| 20 VIRGINIA | 17 | 26 | 27 | 25 | 16 | 25.1 |
| 21 MISSOURI | 13 | 13 | 11 | 10 | 9 | 21.1 |
| 22 NEW YORK | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 5 | 14.6 |
| 23 MASSACHUSETTS | 1 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 14.0 |
| 24 UTAH | 3 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 12.5 |
| 25 PENNSYLVANIA | — | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 12.3 |
| 26 MAINE | 4 | 4 | 6 | 5 | 5 | 11.3 |
| 27 CONNECTICUT | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 10.3 |
| 28 MONTANA | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 9.9 |
| 29 TEXAS | 6 | 7 | 9 | 8 | 8 | 6.3 |
| 30 KANSAS | 11 | 12 | 10 | 6 | 4 | 6.2 |
| 31 FLORIDA | 2 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 4.9 |
| 32 MINNESOTA | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3.7 |
| 33 SOUTH DAKOTA | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1.9 |
| 34 IOWA | — | 2 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 1.5 |
| 35 ILLINOIS | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1.3 |
| 36 IDAHO | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | — | 0.0 |
| 37 OKLAHOMA | 9 | 9 | 9 | — | — | 0.0 |
| 38 COLORADO | 1 | 1 | 1 | — | — | 0.0 |
| TOTALS | 507 | 557 | 616 | 581 | 530 | 27.0 |

FIGURE 2.—Number of whole-time county or local district health units, by States, 1930-33, and percentage of rural population served on December 31, 1933.

counties, townships, or districts in the United States having local whole-time health service, together with the percentage of the rural population of the entire United States served by local whole-time health organizations.

It will be noted that 73 percent of our rural population is as yet not provided with the form of health organization which is considered best adapted to rural areas.

COURT DECISION ON PUBLIC HEALTH

Nuisance caused by village polluting creek in disposing of sewage enjoined.—(Illinois Supreme Court; *Barrington Hills Country Club et al. v. Village of Barrington*, 191 N. E. 239; decided June 15, 1934.) An injunction was sought by certain riparian owners against the village of Barrington to prevent the latter from discharging sewage and the effluent from its sewage-treatment plant into a creek above their premises. A decree in favor of the complainants was rendered by the trial court, which decree was affirmed by the supreme court. In the course of the latter court's opinion, it was said:

The law in Illinois is, and has long been, settled upon the controlling questions involved in this case. A private nuisance may be enjoined by a suit in equity, or the party suffering damage and injury may proceed at law, and the remedies are concurrent and not exclusive. [Cases cited.] While it is contended here that those cases must have involved raw sewage as distinguished from the effluent from a sewage-treatment plant of modern design, sewage shown by this record to contain human feces, debris, * * * and other filth, remains sewage. The defendants in error, as riparian owners on a stream thus polluted, whether it be polluted once, twice, three times or more a season, or for 3 or 4 percent of all the days of each year, have a right to protection against such invasion of their property rights, and if the effluent is considered to be as pure as contended by the plaintiff in error, the defendants in error still have the other property right, which must be protected, to have the stream carry only such a volume of water as would be naturally collected by the drainage of the basin in which it flows. This court has repeatedly held that the taking of property by a municipality or other body vested with the power of eminent domain will not be tolerated except in the manner prescribed by statute, and the taking must be accompanied by payment at the time the property or right is taken. [Cases cited.]

In rejecting the village's contention that a permit issued by the State sanitary water board, under a 1929 statute, was a complete bar to the suit brought against it, the supreme court stated, in part, as follows:

* * * The act only empowers the sanitary water board to control, prevent, and abate pollution of streams where the condition is detrimental to "the public health, or to the health of animals, fish, or aquatic life, or detrimental to the practicable use of the waters for recreational purposes." Section 2 (Smith-Hurd Rev. St. 1933, c. 19, sec. 130). This act does not extend the authority of the sanitary water board to include control of private property rights of riparian owners and does not authorize any encroachment upon such rights. The powers created are to be exercised only on behalf of the public and affect its rights alone. * * * In this suit only private property rights of riparian owners are involved. The nuisance sought to be enjoined is one of a private rather than a public nature. While the permit might bar an action brought by the attorney general, it constitutes no bar to this suit. * * *

DEATHS DURING WEEK ENDED NOV. 17, 1934

[From the Weekly Health Index, issued by the Bureau of the Census, Department of Commerce]

| | Week ended Nov. 17, 1934 | Correspond- ing week, 1933 |
|---|-----------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Data from 86 large cities of the United States: | | |
| Total deaths..... | 7, 836 | 8, 196 ¹ |
| Deaths per 1,000 population, annual basis..... | 10.9 | 11.4 |
| Deaths under 1 year of age..... | 571 | 600 |
| Deaths under 1 year of age per 1,000 estimated live births..... | 53 | 152 |
| Deaths per 1,000 population, annual basis, first 46 weeks of year..... | 11.3 | 10.8 |
| Data from industrial insurance companies: | | |
| Policies in force..... | 67, 041, 531 | 67, 464, 735 |
| Number of death claims..... | 11, 357 | 13, 233 |
| Death claims per 1,000 policies in force, annual rate..... | 8.8 | 10.3 |
| Death claims per 1,000 policies, first 46 weeks of year, annual rate..... | 9.8 | 9.7 |

¹ Data for 81 cities.

PREVALENCE OF DISEASE

No health department, State or local, can effectively prevent or control disease without knowledge of when, where, and under what conditions cases are occurring

UNITED STATES

CURRENT WEEKLY STATE REPORTS

These reports are preliminary, and the figures are subject to change when later returns are received by the State health officers

Reports for Weeks Ended Nov. 24, 1934, and Nov. 25, 1933

Cases of certain communicable diseases reported by telegraph by State health officers for weeks ended Nov. 24, 1934, and Nov. 25, 1933

| Division and State | Diphtheria | | Influenza | | Measles | | Meningococcus meningitis | |
|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| | Week ended Nov. 24, 1934 | Week ended Nov. 25, 1933 | Week ended Nov. 24, 1934 | Week ended Nov. 25, 1933 | Week ended Nov. 24, 1934 | Week ended Nov. 25, 1933 | Week ended Nov. 24, 1934 | Week ended Nov. 25, 1933 |
| New England States: | | | | | | | | |
| Maine..... | 1 | 3 | | 1 | 13 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| New Hampshire..... | | 2 | | | 5 | 75 | 0 | 0 |
| Vermont..... | 4 | 4 | | | 2 | 58 | 0 | 0 |
| Massachusetts..... | 17 | 28 | | | 83 | 387 | 0 | 2 |
| Rhode Island..... | 2 | | | 1 | | | 0 | 0 |
| Connecticut..... | 1 | 14 | 1 | 17 | 222 | 13 | 0 | 0 |
| Middle Atlantic States: | | | | | | | | |
| New York..... | 45 | 47 | 141 | 117 | 1,078 | 370 | 5 | 5 |
| New Jersey..... | 32 | 24 | 26 | 23 | 49 | 30 | 1 | 0 |
| Pennsylvania..... | 56 | 73 | | | 632 | 231 | 2 | 4 |
| East North Central States: | | | | | | | | |
| Ohio..... | 97 | 97 | 6 | 3 | 101 | 58 | 1 | 0 |
| Indiana..... | 53 | 108 | 43 | 34 | 149 | 28 | 1 | 1 |
| Illinois ¹ | 76 | 41 | 16 | 30 | 333 | 23 | 5 | 5 |
| Michigan..... | 12 | 34 | 3 | 2 | 47 | 19 | 1 | 2 |
| Wisconsin..... | 9 | 4 | 3 | 17 | 212 | 56 | 0 | 3 |
| West North Central States: | | | | | | | | |
| Minnesota..... | 4 | 16 | 1 | | 220 | 23 | 0 | 0 |
| Iowa ² | 4 | 12 | | | 277 | 3 | 0 | 1 |
| Missouri..... | 60 | 90 | 41 | 8 | 71 | 42 | 4 | 3 |
| North Dakota..... | 10 | 10 | | 1 | 29 | 8 | 0 | 0 |
| South Dakota..... | 4 | 1 | | | 24 | 202 | 0 | 1 |
| Nebraska..... | 14 | 7 | | 8 | 7 | 17 | 0 | 0 |
| Kansas..... | 15 | 27 | | | 83 | 3 | 1 | 1 |
| South Atlantic States: | | | | | | | | |
| Delaware..... | | 1 | 1 | | | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Maryland ³ | 14 | 22 | 8 | 11 | 35 | 2 | 0 | 1 |
| District of Columbia..... | 14 | 22 | | | 1 | 9 | 0 | 0 |
| Virginia ⁴ | 104 | 124 | | | 140 | 24 | 2 | 0 |
| West Virginia..... | 60 | 80 | 33 | 52 | 161 | 16 | 3 | 1 |
| North Carolina ⁵ | 74 | 108 | 10 | 26 | 107 | 271 | 0 | 1 |
| South Carolina ⁶ | 10 | 24 | 267 | 393 | 3 | 56 | 0 | 0 |
| Georgia ^{4,6} | 52 | 69 | | | | 243 | 0 | 2 |
| Florida ⁴ | 25 | 14 | | 2 | 10 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| East South Central States: | | | | | | | | |
| Kentucky..... | 79 | 96 | 32 | | 332 | 4 | 0 | 1 |
| Tennessee..... | 62 | 68 | 68 | 63 | 22 | 220 | 0 | 1 |
| Alabama ⁴ | 37 | 102 | 51 | 37 | 57 | 14 | 1 | 1 |
| Mississippi ² | 26 | 28 | | | | | 1 | 1 |

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| Division and State | Diphtheria | | Influenza | | Measles | | Meningococcus meningitis | |
|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| | Week ended Nov. 24, 1934 | Week ended Nov. 25, 1933 | Week ended Nov. 24, 1934 | Week ended Nov. 25, 1933 | Week ended Nov. 24, 1934 | Week ended Nov. 25, 1933 | Week ended Nov. 24, 1934 | Week ended Nov. 25, 1933 |
| West South Central States: | | | | | | | | |
| Arkansas..... | 16 | 29 | 19 | 9 | 232 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Louisiana..... | 30 | 49 | 5 | 9 | 8 | 9 | 0 | 1 |
| Oklahoma..... | 16 | 89 | 27 | 25 | 6 | 50 | 0 | 1 |
| Texas..... | 93 | 311 | 81 | 146 | 6 | 11 | 0 | 0 |
| Mountain States: | | | | | | | | |
| Montana..... | 11 | ----- | 3 | 11 | 53 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Idaho..... | 1 | ----- | 3 | ----- | 11 | 2 | 0 | 1 |
| Wyoming..... | 3 | 1 | ----- | ----- | 4 | 31 | 0 | 0 |
| Colorado..... | 9 | 7 | ----- | 29 | 150 | ----- | 0 | 0 |
| New Mexico..... | 5 | 10 | 4 | 6 | 45 | 30 | 0 | 0 |
| Arizona..... | 5 | 3 | 15 | 27 | 2 | 6 | 0 | 0 |
| Utah..... | ----- | ----- | ----- | 8 | 12 | 123 | 0 | 0 |
| Pacific States: | | | | | | | | |
| Washington..... | 12 | ----- | ----- | 3 | 31 | 52 | 0 | 0 |
| Oregon..... | ----- | 1 | 42 | 25 | 15 | 9 | 2 | 1 |
| California..... | 42 | 39 | 32 | 63 | 148 | 126 | 0 | 3 |
| Total..... | 1,316 | 1,939 | 882 | 1,107 | 4,996 | 3,193 | 30 | 44 |

| Division and State | Poliomyelitis | | Scarlet fever | | Smallpox | | Typhoid fever | |
|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| | Week ended Nov. 24, 1934 | Week ended Nov. 25, 1933 | Week ended Nov. 24, 1934 | Week ended Nov. 25, 1933 | Week ended Nov. 24, 1934 | Week ended Nov. 25, 1933 | Week ended Nov. 24, 1934 | Week ended Nov. 25, 1933 |
| New England States: | | | | | | | | |
| Maine..... | 0 | 4 | 26 | 9 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 3 |
| New Hampshire..... | 0 | 0 | 6 | 17 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Vermont..... | 0 | 1 | 14 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Massachusetts..... | 0 | 1 | 182 | 223 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Rhode Island..... | 0 | 0 | 17 | 12 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Connecticut..... | 0 | 0 | 45 | 71 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 |
| Middle Atlantic States: | | | | | | | | |
| New York..... | 1 | 6 | 399 | 361 | 0 | 0 | 16 | 12 |
| New Jersey..... | 0 | 0 | 131 | 125 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 5 |
| Pennsylvania..... | 0 | 8 | 408 | 464 | 0 | 0 | 14 | 27 |
| East North Central States: | | | | | | | | |
| Ohio..... | 0 | 2 | 447 | 472 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 7 |
| Indiana..... | 1 | 0 | 179 | 172 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 3 |
| Illinois..... | 3 | 1 | 590 | 426 | 1 | 0 | 24 | 18 |
| Michigan..... | 4 | 1 | 286 | 281 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 11 |
| Wisconsin..... | 0 | 3 | 433 | 47 | 15 | 24 | 1 | 3 |
| West North Central States: | | | | | | | | |
| Minnesota..... | 2 | 2 | 91 | 83 | 8 | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Iowa..... | 1 | 1 | 63 | 63 | 0 | 3 | 4 | 0 |
| Missouri..... | 0 | 0 | 112 | 200 | 2 | 3 | 20 | 4 |
| North Dakota..... | 0 | 0 | 43 | 52 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 0 |
| South Dakota..... | 0 | 0 | 21 | 2 | 23 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Nebraska..... | 0 | 1 | 34 | 28 | 0 | 11 | 0 | 0 |
| Kansas..... | 1 | 1 | 53 | 142 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 5 |
| South Atlantic States: | | | | | | | | |
| Delaware..... | 0 | 0 | 11 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Maryland..... | 2 | 1 | 115 | 93 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 14 |
| District of Columbia..... | 0 | 0 | 24 | 21 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Virginia..... | 1 | 1 | 162 | 170 | 0 | 0 | 14 | 9 |
| West Virginia..... | 2 | 3 | 177 | 141 | 1 | 3 | 11 | 2 |
| North Carolina..... | 0 | 3 | 123 | 191 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 7 |
| South Carolina..... | 0 | 1 | 6 | 22 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 11 |
| Georgia..... | 0 | 5 | 23 | 17 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 9 |
| Florida..... | 0 | 0 | 8 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 |

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| Division and State | Poliomyelitis | | Scarlet fever | | Smallpox | | Typhoid fever | |
|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| | Week ended Nov. 24, 1934 | Week ended Nov. 25, 1933 | Week ended Nov. 24, 1934 | Week ended Nov. 25, 1933 | Week ended Nov. 24, 1934 | Week ended Nov. 25, 1933 | Week ended Nov. 24, 1934 | Week ended Nov. 25, 1933 |
| East South Central States: | | | | | | | | |
| Kentucky..... | 1 | 3 | 84 | 113 | 0 | 0 | 24 | 11 |
| Tennessee..... | 1 | 0 | 103 | 139 | 0 | 7 | 15 | 17 |
| Alabama ¹ | 2 | 2 | 43 | 55 | 1 | 0 | 13 | 20 |
| Mississippi ¹ | 0 | 1 | 29 | 23 | 0 | 2 | 4 | 2 |
| West South Central States: | | | | | | | | |
| Arkansas..... | 0 | 2 | 13 | 27 | 0 | 0 | 18 | 5 |
| Louisiana..... | 1 | 0 | 21 | 27 | 1 | 0 | 12 | 18 |
| Oklahoma ² | 0 | 1 | 22 | 39 | 0 | 1 | 33 | 21 |
| Texas ³ | 3 | 3 | 64 | 100 | 0 | 15 | 35 | 28 |
| Mountain States: | | | | | | | | |
| Montana..... | 0 | 2 | 18 | 17 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 |
| Idaho..... | 0 | 2 | 13 | 6 | 0 | 7 | 1 | 1 |
| Wyoming..... | 0 | 0 | 12 | 13 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Colorado..... | 0 | 0 | 208 | 28 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 3 |
| New Mexico..... | 0 | 1 | 25 | 25 | 1 | 0 | 29 | 13 |
| Arizona..... | 1 | 1 | 36 | 17 | 0 | 1 | 9 | 0 |
| Utah ⁴ | 0 | 0 | 39 | 8 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Pacific States: | | | | | | | | |
| Washington..... | 7 | 2 | 60 | 44 | 24 | 3 | 3 | 13 |
| Oregon..... | 2 | 4 | 59 | 49 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 1 |
| California..... | 23 | 4 | 198 | 248 | 2 | 18 | 11 | 18 |
| Total..... | 59 | 74 | 5,276 | 4,952 | 88 | 107 | 369 | 330 |

¹ New York City only.

² Rocky Mountain spotted fever, week ended Nov. 24, 1934 2 cases, as follows: Illinois, 1; North Carolina, 1.

³ Week ended earlier than Saturday.

⁴ Typhus fever, week ended Nov. 24, 1934, 14 cases, as follows: Virginia, 1; South Carolina, 2; Georgia, 5; Florida, 1; Alabama, 3; Texas, 2.

⁵ Dengue, week ended Nov. 24, 1934: Georgia, 23 cases

⁶ Exclusive of Oklahoma City and Tulsa.

SUMMARY OF MONTHLY REPORTS FROM STATES

The following summary of cases reported monthly by States is published weekly and covers only those States from which reports are received during the current week.

| State | Menin- gococ- menin- gitis | Diph- theria | Influ- enza | Malaria | Measles | Pel- lagra | Polio- mye- litis | Scarlet fever | Small- pox | Ty- phoid fever |
|-----------------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------|----------------|---------|---------|---------------|-------------------------|------------------|---------------|-----------------------|
| <i>October 1934</i> | | | | | | | | | | |
| Arizona..... | 3 | 11 | 17 | 1 | 32 | ----- | 17 | 130 | 0 | 22 |
| Florida..... | 1 | 57 | 1 | 320 | 8 | 2 | 0 | 17 | 0 | 5 |
| Idaho..... | 2 | 12 | 15 | ----- | 31 | ----- | 7 | 21 | 6 | 22 |
| Illinois..... | 18 | 298 | 34 | 26 | 333 | ----- | 45 | 1,440 | 7 | 168 |
| Kansas..... | ----- | 62 | 10 | 2 | 183 | ----- | 11 | 249 | 4 | 25 |
| Louisiana..... | 5 | 119 | 18 | 219 | 31 | 10 | 2 | 61 | 2 | 78 |
| Maryland..... | 1 | 58 | 49 | ----- | 41 | ----- | 1 | 356 | 0 | 45 |
| Missouri..... | 8 | 315 | 168 | 112 | 229 | 1 | 4 | 313 | 0 | 141 |
| Montana..... | ----- | 18 | 23 | ----- | 200 | ----- | 35 | 82 | 1 | 25 |
| New Mexico..... | ----- | 16 | 15 | 56 | 106 | 1 | 0 | 72 | 0 | 70 |
| Oklahoma ¹ | 8 | 58 | 104 | 114 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 43 | 2 | 68 |
| Oregon..... | ----- | 9 | 91 | 1 | 27 | ----- | 16 | 199 | 2 | 9 |
| Pennsylvania..... | 14 | 286 | ----- | 7 | 1,201 | 5 | 26 | 1,285 | 0 | 120 |
| Texas..... | 5 | 198 | 385 | 2,323 | 84 | 32 | 32 | 128 | 5 | 133 |
| Virginia..... | 3 | 431 | 143 | 40 | 212 | 6 | 12 | 422 | 2 | 66 |

¹ Exclusive of Oklahoma City and Tulsa.

| October 1934 | | October 1934—Continued | | October 1934—Continued | |
|--------------------------------|-------|--------------------------------|-------|-----------------------------|-------|
| | Cases | | Cases | | Cases |
| Anthrax: | | Lead poisoning: | | Tetanus: | |
| Illinois..... | 1 | Illinois..... | 3 | Illinois..... | 8 |
| Chicken pox: | | Lethargic encephalitis: | | Kansas..... | 1 |
| Arizona..... | 16 | Illinois..... | 34 | Louisiana..... | 7 |
| Florida..... | 2 | Kansas..... | 6 | Maryland..... | 3 |
| Illinois..... | 567 | Missouri..... | 1 | Missouri..... | 2 |
| Kansas..... | 311 | Oregon..... | 1 | Montana..... | 2 |
| Louisiana..... | 9 | Pennsylvania..... | 8 | Virginia..... | 2 |
| Maryland..... | 97 | Texas..... | 1 | | |
| Missouri..... | 164 | Virginia..... | 5 | Trachoma: | |
| Montana..... | 78 | | | Arizona..... | 185 |
| New Mexico..... | 25 | Mumps: | | Illinois..... | 2 |
| Oklahoma ¹ | 19 | Arizona..... | 37 | Kansas..... | 1 |
| Oregon..... | 48 | Illinois..... | 163 | Maryland..... | 1 |
| Pennsylvania..... | 1,304 | Kansas..... | 71 | Missouri..... | 6 |
| Texas..... | 42 | Maryland..... | 16 | Oklahoma ¹ | 7 |
| Virginia..... | 38 | Missouri..... | 10 | Pennsylvania..... | 1 |
| Conjunctivitis: | | Montana..... | 11 | | |
| Arizona..... | 19 | New Mexico..... | 6 | Tularaemia: | |
| New Mexico..... | 1 | Oklahoma ¹ | 6 | Illinois..... | 5 |
| Dengue: | | Oregon..... | 111 | Kansas..... | 5 |
| Florida..... | 390 | Pennsylvania..... | 668 | Louisiana..... | 1 |
| Louisiana..... | 1 | Texas..... | 16 | Maryland..... | 1 |
| Maryland..... | 1 | Virginia..... | 32 | Missouri..... | 4 |
| Texas..... | 22 | Ophthalmia neonatorum: | | Montana..... | 2 |
| Diarrhea: | | Illinois..... | 3 | Virginia..... | 1 |
| Maryland..... | 66 | Louisiana..... | 1 | Typhus fever: | |
| Dysentery: | | Missouri..... | 1 | Florida..... | 10 |
| Arizona..... | 19 | Oregon..... | 1 | Louisiana..... | 1 |
| Florida..... | 2 | Pennsylvania..... | 6 | Maryland..... | 1 |
| Idaho (amoebic)..... | 1 | Virginia..... | 1 | Texas..... | 43 |
| Illinois (amoebic)..... | 28 | Paratyphoid fever: | | Undulant fever: | |
| Illinois (bacillary)..... | 29 | Illinois..... | 1 | Arizona..... | 2 |
| Illinois (amoebic car- | | Kansas..... | 2 | Florida..... | 3 |
| riers)..... | 110 | New Mexico..... | 1 | Illinois..... | 12 |
| Kansas (amoebic)..... | 4 | Oregon..... | 1 | Kansas..... | 17 |
| Louisiana..... | 12 | Texas..... | 1 | Louisiana..... | 3 |
| Maryland..... | 32 | Virginia..... | 1 | Maryland..... | 5 |
| Missouri..... | 68 | Puerperal septicemia: | | Montana..... | 2 |
| Montana (amoebic)..... | 1 | Illinois..... | 1 | New Mexico..... | 1 |
| Montana..... | 2 | New Mexico..... | 1 | Oregon..... | 1 |
| New Mexico (bacillary) | | Rabies in animals: | | Pennsylvania..... | 2 |
| New Mexico..... | 1 | Illinois..... | 21 | Texas..... | 1 |
| Oklahoma ¹ | 25 | Kansas..... | 3 | Virginia..... | 4 |
| Oregon..... | 6 | Louisiana..... | 14 | Vincent's infection: | |
| Pennsylvania..... | 15 | Maryland..... | 1 | Kansas..... | 8 |
| Texas..... | 211 | Missouri..... | 13 | Maryland..... | 20 |
| Dysentery and diarrhea: | | Oregon..... | 1 | Montana..... | 2 |
| Virginia..... | 131 | Rabies in man: | | Oklahoma ¹ | 4 |
| Food poisoning: | | Illinois..... | 1 | Oregon..... | 11 |
| Kansas..... | 1 | Louisiana..... | 1 | Whooping cough: | |
| German measles: | | Scabies: | | Arizona..... | 29 |
| Arizona..... | 2 | Maryland..... | 6 | Florida..... | 27 |
| Illinois..... | 74 | Montana..... | 10 | Idaho..... | 19 |
| Kansas..... | 19 | Oklahoma ¹ | 8 | Illinois..... | 728 |
| Maryland..... | 3 | Oregon..... | 61 | Kansas..... | 160 |
| Montana..... | 11 | Septic sore throat: | | Louisiana..... | 22 |
| Pennsylvania..... | 15 | Illinois..... | 24 | Maryland..... | 194 |
| Hookworm disease: | | Kansas..... | 4 | Missouri..... | 211 |
| Louisiana..... | 14 | Louisiana..... | 4 | Montana..... | 67 |
| Impetigo contagiosa: | | Maryland..... | 12 | New Mexico..... | 46 |
| Kansas..... | 2 | Missouri..... | 57 | Oklahoma ¹ | 33 |
| Maryland..... | 146 | Montana..... | 7 | Oregon..... | 26 |
| Montana..... | 31 | New Mexico..... | 1 | Pennsylvania..... | 1,743 |
| Oregon..... | 55 | Oklahoma ¹ | 23 | Texas..... | 197 |
| Jaundice: | | Oregon..... | 3 | Virginia..... | 253 |
| Montana..... | 10 | Virginia..... | 18 | | |

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WEEKLY REPORTS FROM CITIES

City reports for week ended Nov. 17, 1934

[This table summarizes the reports received regularly from a selected list of 121 cities for the purpose of showing a cross section of the current urban incidence of the communicable diseases listed in the table. Weekly reports are received from about 700 cities, from which the data are tabulated and filed for reference.]

| State and city | Influenza | | Measles cases | Pneumonia deaths | Scarlet fever cases | Small-pox cases | Tuberculosis deaths | Typhoid fever cases | Whooping cough cases | Deaths, all causes |
|----------------|-----------|--------|---------------|------------------|---------------------|-----------------|---------------------|---------------------|----------------------|--------------------|
| | Cases | Deaths | | | | | | | | |
| Maine: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Portland | 0 | | 0 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 20 |
| New Hampshire: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Concord | 0 | | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 |
| Nashua | 0 | | 0 | | 1 | | | 0 | 0 | |
| Vermont: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Barre | 0 | | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| Burlington | 0 | | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 9 |
| Massachusetts: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Boston | 4 | 2 | 2 | 19 | 41 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 40 | 190 |
| Fall River | 1 | 0 | 21 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 28 |
| Springfield | 0 | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 33 |
| Worcester | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 17 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 5 | 40 |
| Rhode Island: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Pawtucket | 0 | | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 13 |
| Providence | 2 | | 1 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 12 | 47 |
| Connecticut: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Bridgeport | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 32 |
| Hartford | 0 | 0 | 0 | 161 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 45 |
| New Haven | 0 | | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 42 |
| New York: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Buffalo | 1 | | 1 | 16 | 9 | 16 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 21 |
| New York | 44 | 20 | 10 | 9 | 92 | 83 | 0 | 70 | 7 | 289 |
| Rochester | 0 | | 0 | 26 | 2 | 19 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 16 |
| Syracuse | 0 | | 0 | 0 | 7 | 7 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 8 |
| New Jersey: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Camden | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 6 | 9 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 3 |
| Newark | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 18 |
| Trenton | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 16 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Pennsylvania: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Philadelphia | 5 | 6 | 2 | 6 | 38 | 48 | 0 | 19 | 2 | 177 |
| Pittsburgh | 13 | 1 | 2 | 15 | 20 | 32 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 9 |
| Reading | 2 | | 0 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 8 |
| Scranton | 0 | | | 11 | | 4 | 0 | | 0 | 6 |
| Ohio: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Cincinnati | 8 | | 4 | 0 | 11 | 30 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 3 |
| Cleveland | 11 | 19 | 1 | 3 | 5 | 44 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 29 |
| Columbus | 10 | | 0 | 8 | 3 | 31 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 3 |
| Toledo | 2 | | 0 | 6 | 8 | 13 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 6 |
| Indiana: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fort Wayne | 8 | | 1 | 0 | 4 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Indianapolis | 13 | | 0 | 2 | 15 | 24 | 0 | 4 | 2 | 10 |
| South Bend | 0 | | 0 | 53 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 |
| Terre Haute | 0 | | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Illinois: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Chicago | 12 | 5 | 3 | 30 | 53 | 211 | 0 | 33 | 0 | 68 |
| Springfield | 0 | | 0 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 5 |
| Michigan: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Detroit | 6 | 3 | 1 | 24 | 17 | 75 | 0 | 19 | 4 | 46 |
| Flint | 1 | | 0 | 0 | 3 | 11 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Grand Rapids | 1 | | 0 | 2 | 2 | 24 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Wisconsin: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Kenosha | 0 | | 0 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 8 |
| Milwaukee | 2 | | 0 | 14 | 3 | 166 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 47 |
| Racine | 0 | | 0 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Superior | 0 | | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 15 |
| Minnesota: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Duluth | 0 | | 0 | 50 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Minneapolis | 2 | | 1 | 35 | 9 | 14 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 14 |
| St. Paul | 3 | | 0 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 20 |
| Iowa: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Davenport | 0 | | | 1 | | 1 | 0 | | 0 | |
| Des Moines | 0 | | 0 | 0 | 0 | 12 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 18 |
| Sioux City | 1 | | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 |
| Waterloo | 0 | | | 47 | | 2 | 0 | | 0 | 1 |
| Missouri: | | | | | | | | | | |
| Kansas City | 2 | | 0 | 0 | 11 | 10 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 1 |
| St. Joseph | 4 | | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| St. Louis | 41 | | 6 | 5 | 7 | 20 | 0 | 15 | 4 | 12 |

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| State and city | Diphtheria cases | Influenza | | Measles cases | Pneumonia deaths | Scarlet fever cases | Small-pox cases | Tuberculosis deaths | Typhoid fever cases | Whooping cough cases | Deaths, all causes |
|--------------------|------------------|-----------|--------|---------------|------------------|---------------------|-----------------|---------------------|---------------------|----------------------|--------------------|
| | | Cases | Deaths | | | | | | | | |
| North Dakota: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fargo..... | 0 | | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 13 | 8 |
| Grand Forks..... | 0 | | | 1 | | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | |
| South Dakota: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Aberdeen..... | 3 | | 0 | 0 | | 2 | 3 | | 0 | 2 | |
| Sioux Falls..... | 0 | | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 |
| Nebraska: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Omaha..... | 18 | | 0 | 2 | 3 | 11 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 51 |
| Kansas: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Topeka..... | 0 | | 0 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 21 |
| Wichita..... | 2 | | 0 | 0 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 29 |
| Delaware: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Wilmington..... | 1 | | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 29 |
| Maryland: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Baltimore..... | 3 | 2 | 0 | 15 | 22 | 30 | 0 | 16 | 0 | 26 | 214 |
| Cumberland..... | 0 | | 0 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 12 |
| Frederick..... | 0 | | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 3 |
| District of Col.: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Washington..... | 11 | | 0 | 1 | 10 | 26 | 0 | 13 | 1 | 8 | 157 |
| Virginia: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Lynchburg..... | 6 | | 0 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 11 |
| Richmond..... | 2 | | 0 | 1 | 5 | 8 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 59 |
| Roanoke..... | 8 | | 0 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 18 |
| West Virginia: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Charleston..... | 3 | | 0 | 0 | 1 | 12 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 10 |
| Huntington..... | 2 | | | | | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| Wheeling..... | 0 | | 0 | 1 | 1 | 6 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 6 | 14 |
| North Carolina: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Raleigh..... | 3 | | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 15 |
| Wilmington..... | 5 | | 0 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 18 | 17 |
| South Carolina: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Charleston..... | 0 | 44 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 26 |
| Columbia..... | 0 | | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 35 |
| Greenville..... | 1 | | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Georgia: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Atlanta..... | 9 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 9 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 1 | 80 |
| Brunswick..... | 0 | | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 6 |
| Savannah..... | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 1 | 51 |
| Florida: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Miami..... | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 26 |
| Tampa..... | 4 | | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 27 |
| Kentucky: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Ashland..... | 8 | | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| Lexington..... | 6 | | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 24 |
| Tennessee: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Memphis..... | 5 | | 0 | 0 | 6 | 8 | 0 | 1 | 6 | 9 | 72 |
| Nashville..... | 9 | | 0 | 0 | 4 | 8 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 12 | 42 |
| Alabama: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Birmingham..... | 7 | 7 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 7 | 0 | 4 | 2 | 9 | 59 |
| Mobile..... | 2 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 22 |
| Montgomery..... | 4 | 2 | | 2 | | 0 | 0 | | 0 | 0 | |
| Arkansas: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fort Smith..... | 0 | | 0 | 0 | 7 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 9 |
| Louisiana: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| New Orleans..... | 0 | | 0 | 0 | 13 | 8 | 0 | 11 | 3 | 0 | 151 |
| Shreveport..... | 0 | | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 26 |
| Oklahoma: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Oklahoma City..... | 2 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 5 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 37 |
| Tulsa..... | 0 | | | | | 1 | 0 | | 0 | 0 | |
| Texas: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Dallas..... | 4 | | 0 | 0 | 5 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 60 |
| Fort Worth..... | 5 | | 0 | 0 | 3 | 5 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 38 |
| Galveston..... | 0 | | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 11 |
| Houston..... | 16 | | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 60 |
| San Antonio..... | 1 | | 1 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 76 |

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| State and city | Diphtheria cases | Influenza | | Measles cases | Pneumonia deaths | Scarlet fever cases | Small-pox cases | Tuberculosis deaths | Typhoid fever cases | Whooping cough cases | Deaths, all causes |
|---------------------|------------------|-----------|--------|---------------|------------------|---------------------|-----------------|---------------------|---------------------|----------------------|--------------------|
| | | Cases | Deaths | | | | | | | | |
| Montana: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Billings..... | 1 | | 0 | 13 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 |
| Great Falls..... | 0 | | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 |
| Helena..... | 0 | | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Missoula..... | 0 | | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 |
| Idaho: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Boise..... | 0 | | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 5 | 8 |
| Colorado: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Denver..... | 2 | 41 | 0 | 86 | 6 | 124 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 72 |
| Pueblo..... | 2 | | 0 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| New Mexico: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Albuquerque..... | 1 | | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 4 | 8 |
| Utah: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Salt Lake City..... | 2 | | 0 | 8 | 1 | 20 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 25 | 37 |
| Nevada: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Reno..... | 0 | | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 |
| Washington: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Seattle..... | 1 | | | 0 | | 3 | 3 | | 0 | 5 | |
| Spokane..... | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 33 |
| Tacoma..... | 0 | | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 26 |
| Oregon: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Portland..... | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 5 | 11 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 67 |
| Salem..... | 0 | 4 | | 0 | | 1 | 0 | | 0 | 1 | |
| California: | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Los Angeles..... | 21 | 24 | 1 | 3 | 9 | 37 | 1 | 16 | 2 | 17 | 308 |
| Sacramento..... | 1 | | 0 | 0 | 4 | 2 | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 27 |
| San Francisco..... | 1 | 1 | 0 | 3 | 6 | 11 | 0 | 11 | 0 | 4 | 163 |

| State and city | Meningococcus meningitis | | Polio-myelitis cases | State and city | Meningococcus meningitis | | Polio-myelitis cases |
|-------------------|--------------------------|--------|----------------------|------------------|--------------------------|--------|----------------------|
| | Cases | Deaths | | | Cases | Deaths | |
| Massachusetts: | | | | Nebraska: | | | |
| Fall River..... | 1 | 1 | 0 | Omaha..... | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Rhode Island: | | | | Maryland: | | | |
| Providence..... | 1 | 0 | 0 | Baltimore..... | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| New York: | | | | Virginia: | | | |
| Buffalo..... | 2 | 0 | 0 | Roanoke..... | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| New York..... | 5 | 3 | 0 | Kentucky: | | | |
| Pennsylvania: | | | | Ashland..... | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Philadelphia..... | 1 | 1 | 0 | Alabama: | | | |
| Ohio: | | | | Mobile..... | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Cleveland..... | 0 | 0 | 1 | Louisiana: | | | |
| Toledo..... | 0 | 0 | 1 | New Orleans..... | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Indiana: | | | | Texas: | | | |
| Indianapolis..... | 0 | 0 | 1 | Houston..... | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Illinois: | | | | Montana: | | | |
| Chicago..... | 4 | 0 | 1 | Missoula..... | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Michigan: | | | | New Mexico: | | | |
| Detroit..... | 1 | 0 | 1 | Albuquerque..... | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Minnesota: | | | | California: | | | |
| St. Paul..... | 0 | 0 | 2 | Los Angeles..... | 0 | 0 | 4 |
| Missouri: | | | | | | | |
| Kansas City..... | 1 | 1 | 0 | | | | |
| St. Joseph..... | 1 | 0 | 0 | | | | |
| St. Louis..... | 0 | 0 | 1 | | | | |

Dengue.—Cases: Atlanta, 7; Savannah, 250; Miami, 5; Tampa, 9.

Lethargic encephalitis.—Cases: Pittsburgh, 2; Cleveland, 1; Kansas City, Mo., 1.

Pellagra.—Cases: Charleston, S. C., 3; Savannah, 2; Tampa, 1; Birmingham, 3; New Orleans, 1; San Francisco, 1.

Typhus fever.—Cases: New York City, 3; Charleston, S. C., 1; Savannah, 1; Montgomery, 2.

FOREIGN AND INSULAR

CUBA

Provinces—Malaria.—According to a report dated November 14, 1934, 34,098 cases of malaria were reported present in the Provinces of Cuba, as follows:

| Province | Cases | Province | Cases |
|--------------------|-------|------------------|--------|
| Pinar del Rio..... | 5,440 | Santa Clara..... | 4,148 |
| Habana..... | 336 | Camaguey..... | 6,676 |
| Matanzas..... | 448 | Oriente..... | 17,050 |

CHOLERA, PLAGUE, SMALLPOX, TYPHUS FEVER, AND YELLOW FEVER

(NOTE.—A table giving current information of the world prevalence of quarantinable diseases appeared in the PUBLIC HEALTH REPORTS for Nov. 30, 1934, pp. 1438-1452. A similar cumulative table will appear in the PUBLIC HEALTH REPORTS to be issued Dec. 28, 1934, and thereafter, at least for the time being, in the issue published on the last Friday of each month.)

No new foci or unusual prevalence of quarantinable diseases were reported to the Public Health Service during the week ended November 30, 1934.

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